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UNEXPECTED ARRIVAL.

Following Captain D'Oisy's.

(An Occasional Correspondent.)

Canton, April 12.

Saturday. Inclement weather, spirit in the matter as to turn out: boisterous wind, poor visibility, in such large numbers, but only to heavy rain and generally un- be literally "shut out," I write to favourable flying conditions led inform you that, if you are desirlocal people to think that the departure from Hanoi would not be ling another election forthwith, made for some days.

plane was over the city. After looking about, the airman found the landing place at Tai-sha-tau and came down safely. Only a few guards and a mechanic or two were on duty. They helped the visitor to put away his machine in the shed, and a telephone message was sent through to the Aviation Bureau. The Chief and about twenty others immediately rushed down to Tai-sha-tau . (off the East Bund) to welcome the

was decided to accord the official welcome on April 13 (yesterday). effected a good landing. He left Hanoi at 8 p.m. and flew the 550 miles in five hours. It is not known when he will put off for

OTHER FLIGHTS.

aviator, also took five hours to do give all a chance to vote. I remachine was of 400 horse-power support in this regard; indeed, and his speed of 110 miles (for gathered that your view was that that leg) was described as extra- the election had better go.on. ordinary. D'Oisy also landed at | Holding the same views before Tai-sha-tau, shortly after the pre- as well as after the election, I am mature report of the death of Dr. only too anxious that the electors Sun Yat-sem.

flier who was nearly drowned as didate of their real choice, and the result of a collision (while in have no wish to act as a member a small boat) in Hongkong, failed of the Sanitary Board unicss I feel to arrive in Canton as his aero- that I have the confidence of the plane was damaged while putting majority of the electors. off from Hanoi. He then used his Will you kindly inform me as seaplane, came on to Hongkong soon as possible of your views in and proceeded North where earlier this matter. the delay prevented him from completing his flight.

Details of the Venture.

Two land machines, built Denmark and equipped with Lorraine-Dietrich 400 h.p. motors of the newest model, started from Copenhagen on March 16. The following route was followed: - Lemberg, Constantin- letter:ople, Aleppo (March 22), Bagdad, Buschir, Bender Abbas, Karachi, Agra, Calcutta (March 31) and Dr. S. C. Ho,

Rangoon (April 3). At Rangoon, Lieut. Herschend was forced to land 28 miles away, on account of engine trouble. Lieut. Botved has since continued the flight to Bangkok and Hanci, and his arrival at Canton

is now reported. The next stop is Shanghai, 800 miles away. D'Oisy went from Canton to Shanghai in 91/4 hours. The rest of the projected trip is by way of Peking, Taiku, and Tokyo, and return by the same

Each of the two Danish Flying a non-commissioned officer.

The machines are marked kong is dormant. "Denmark Rl" and "Denmark As the last election, as you were vaccinated. with the red and white colours. Two extra motors were forwarded to Tokyo-one

Bangkok and one to Karachi. It is not known which machine which was the one that is sti supposed to be at Rangoon.

FISHERS' PATRON SAINT.

To-day, according to Chinese patron saint of fishermen.

It is the birthday of Puk Tai At Cheung Chau Island, the celebrations last several days, the feature being a theatrical show in a huge matshed, with the image of Puk Tal (removed from temple nearby) occupying the seat of honour.

Fundreds of local fishing boats are en fete at Cheung Chau.

HO'S OFFER. DR.

WILLING TO FIGHT ANOTHER ELECTION.

AN APPEAL LODGED.

Dr. S. C. Ho has sent to us, with a request for publication, a copy of the following letter in regard to the Sanitary Board elec-

Hongkong, April 13, 1926. Dr. F. M. G. Ozorio, Hongkong. Rather unexpectedly although Dear Dr. Ozorio, As I feel that they were two days late, the Dan- | yesterday's election was unsatisas the candidates, and to the tions." At first the airman was due on electors who evinced such public ous of standing again and of havshall be very happy to do what-About 1 p.m. to-day, the aero- ever I can to achieve this object. I notice in to-day's issue of the

> you are reported to have said:-"I think the election was very unfair. The electors didn't have a chance to vote. I know I had at least 700 to 800 votes, and most of them were not re-

> "South China Morning Post" that

corded." I sympathise with you that so many of your supporters were not given a chance to vote, but I feel that I can claim your sym-After the usual felicitations, it pathy when I tell you—in fairness. to my own supporters—that very many of them found the Registry am told that the aviator an impregnable fortress and were unable even to obtain admittance. You may recall that, at the

time, I myself suggested that in view of the circumstances and feel that the authorities were not to blame, because they could hardly be prepared for the unprecedented interest taken by the public-the election should be Captain D'Oisy, the French adjourned to another date so as to Hanoi-Canton stage. His collect that I could not enlist your

should be given every opportunity Major Zanni, the Argentine of returning to office the can-

As the question of election is matter of great public interest am sending a copy of this letter to the Press.—Yours faithfully, S. C. Ho.

Dr. Ozorio's Reply.

Dr. F. M. Graca Ozorio senda us for publication the following copy of his reply to Dr. Ho's

Hongkong, April 14, 1926.

Hongkong. Dear Dr. Ho, - I have to letter of yesterday with thanks.

flected in you.

yourself expressed, was unsatis- This campaign aroused wide- Arrangements for the Fanling pathy when the anti-Canton risno recourse but to lodge a protest appreciated the value of this Sheung-shul at 2.45 p.m. for fox trict last year, caused some of with His Excellency the Governor prophylactic measure, The report hunting. was flown by Lieut. Botved, and in Council against the validity of closes by stating that the trainthe said election, a copy of which ing of the Sanitary Police will am enclosing for your informa- be continued.

> As the matter is sub-judice. Governor in Council

you publicly.

Yours, etc., (Sg.) F. M. GRACA OZORIO (Continued on Page 9.)

RAY OF HOPE.

ATTITUDE OF BOYCOTT

COVERNMENT GUIDANCE

(Wah Tex Yat Po.)

Canton, April 13. Mr. So Shiu-ching, chairman of the Boycott and Strike Executive has signified to the Canton Suvern ment that in matters relating to the f. Holt's Wharf for eight years and settlement, Government guidance ish world filer, arrived here this factory both to you and myself will be accepted, without pula-

During the last few days, there have been persistent rumours that. the strike will be settled shortly, and that the Canton delegates (for conference) will leave for

WHAT PUBLIC BUREAU DOES IN A MONTH

LEPROSY AND SMALL-POX.

Some very interesting informaion is given in the monthly report of the Canton Bureau or

Public Health. Dr. Sze-to, the Commissioner, is a highly-respected official. He refers to work for lepers and campaign against small-plx. His report includes :-

Three cases of air-blown and water-injected pork for sale were

reported against butchers. . At the request of the Bureau of Public Safety for the vaccination of the police, instructions were given to the various public health organisations and hospitals to vaccinate all members of

the police force. sent to the new Learnsy Hospiwhile 5 suspects will be felt in their and released after due examinaand released after due examina-

On March 25, 15 lepers, male and female, were handed over to. the Leprosy Hospital at Sheklung. The water of the Water-works. on two occasions was reported to

be below the standard of purity. 11 coffins were temporarily sheltered in the public mortuaries: 12 removed therefrom and 11 transported to and from out-districts....

Licences given for sale of two kinds of special drugs after

analysis. Lau Ah-sam, a Canton citizen. who had kept his dead father's coffin (bier.) within his residence for a long period, was ordered to remove it for interment within 3.

Small-pox Campaign.

pox, special attention was de- ing the match, but continued to papers, a warrant has been issued

acknowledge the receipt of your In the crowded parts of the city, tually had to put him out. Re- arrest of the deputy chief of the 54 centres were selected for turning one morning at 5 o'clock "Communications Department." After perusing the contents carrying out a vaccination cam- during the absence of the hus- The Communications Departtherein I am very pleased to note paign. On March 3, a joint con- band, he demanded money from ment" is in charge of pickets. the spirit of self-sacrifice, which ference was convened at the the woman. On being refused, Whilst the chief was away from is such a dominant trait in the Municipal Hospital, at which the he threatened to kill the husband, Canton, on duty, the No. 2. is medical profession, is so well re- staff and students of the Hackett, and walking into the house he took alleged to have acted for him, and Medical School, the Kwong Wah some copper cents from a till. He then to have absented himself on As you are well aware, the rea- Medical College: the Sino-Franco was stated to have carried the the No. 1's return. son for my accepting my nomina- Medical College, the Medical Divi- knife in his hand at the time of Canton papers also refer to tion was the sense of civic duty, sion of the National University, his visit. which also undoubtedly actuated the Tau-keung, the Women and Defendant was convicted and just across the Macao border (in your acceptance. The large num- Children's Hospital, etc. attended. sentenced to four months' hard Chinshan) of the second prinber of electors who went to the The vaccinators started work in labour. Corps officers is accompanied by poll on Monday last, belied the the various sections from March saying that civic spirit in Hong- 4 to March 11 for one week, with the result that 81,018 persons

factory to all concerned, and in spread public interest and showed Hunt this week-end are:justice to the electors, I have had that the citizens of Canton readily

regret I cannot accept or refuse The Coast Inspector for Shangyour very kind and sporting offer hat has issued a notice that on or though I am grateful to you for about May 4, 1926, the "Tungsha" superstition, is the festival of the it and must await and abide by light-vessel, moored in the South the decision of His Excellency the Channel entrance to the Yangtze River, will be withdrawn from her cargo boat in the harbour on Mon-I am sending a copy of this let- station and replaced by the new day, when it collided with the ter to the Press, not only because light-vessel. "Tungsha," The new "Wing Fook" when proceeding to the election is a matter of public light vessel has a red hull with the junk anchorage. interest, but to take the oppor- "Tungsha" on her sides, a foremast tunity of tendering my thanks to with spherical daymark, an liron column surmounted by a lantern, Club's Adamson Cup competition and a mainment with spherical for April (played at Happy Valley). daymark. Other particulars are Mr. C.A. Grimes qualified with a also given in the notice.]

OBITUARY.

WELL-KNOWN SHIPPING ENGINEER.

LATE MR. A. W. J. HOY.

We regret to record the death of Mr. A. W. J. Hoy, engineer, of Holt's Wharf, which occurred at the Kowloon Hospital at 2 a.m. to-

Mr. Hoy, who was 39 years of age. had been connected with was very well known in Kowloon and Hongkong. Prior to settling down here he had been an engineer on Blue Funnel ships engaged in the China trade and for a period he held a responsible position in connection with harbour supervision in Singapore.

As a non-playing member of the Kowloon Football Club he took a keen interest in the welfare of the team and he was also a playing member of the Kowloon Bowling Green Club.

The late Mr. Hoy will be missed by the Institute of Engineers and Shipbuilders, of which he was a Committee member.

News of his death came as a great shock there as elsewhere: for Mr. Hoy was of good physique and prior to going to Hospital had complained merely of a severe

pneumonia following an attack of pleurisy. Mr. Hay had been Hospital since Friday. Masonic Activities.

The late Mr. Hoy was also well known in connection with Masonic activities, holding position of Master of Zetland Lodge and being a member of the District Grand Lodge of Hongkong and S. China. He was third principal of the Victoria Chapter and a member of other Masonic institutions in the Colony.

The late Mr. Hoy had lived for some time at Windsor, Lodge, Kowloon. He leaves, a wife and child who left. for Home two tenance turning to one of anger months ago and with whom gen-

conduct the funeral service. The funeral passes the monument at 5 p.m. to-day.

CUPID'S DART.

MATCH-MAKER WHO WAS NOT SATISFIED.

A COURT SEQUEL.

The protracted stay of a matchmaker at the house of a Dairy Farm employee whom he had united to a woman from Macao led to trouble and he had to appear at the Central Magistracy this morning on a charge of possession

of a dagger and larceny. Evidence was given that the de-In order to guard against small- fendant received \$30 for arrangvoted to a campaign for vaccina- stay in the house at Pokfulam. (not by the Government but by

FANLING HUNT.

Saturday: Hounds to meet at herents) in the Heungshan dis-

Sunday: Hounds to meet at the or near, Macao. Au-tau police station at 10 a.m. for drag hunt. There will be a train at 8.85 a.m. to Sheung-shul and a.

HARBOUR COLLISION:

Damage only to the extent of \$15 was done to (the rudder of) a local

In the Royal Hongkong Golf acore of 99-24-76.

CHINESE HUMOUR.

AN ARTICLE IN A LOCAL

PUBLISHER SUMMONED.

The "Tal Kwong Po" newspaper" was summoned to appear before Mr. E. Lindsell at the Central Magistracy this morning for publishing matter in the Chinese language without the permission of the Secretary for Chinese Affairs. Sub-Inspector Spittaln said that the article which appeared in the. issue of April 2 had not been submitted to the S.C.A. although a warning had been issued last month not to publish matter without submitting for censorship. He thought the present article was of an anti-foreign nature and bore a hidden meaning which was that the Chinese are willing to kow-tow, to Europeans, and not help their own-

At the outset, Mr. E. S. C. Brooks, defending, tendered a plea of guilty and asked for leniency by pointing out that the censorship was instituted during the commencement of the strike and that the regulations were not strictly carried out now, as they were no longer necessary. ... He termed the article in question as: a mild satire in regard to a gentleman who gave \$10,000 for a charitable cause and refused to allow time to a tenant to pay his rent l

The translation of the article stated that a fat, rich gentleman. sitting in a rocking chair with spring wind all over his face (meaning an affable countenance) was chatting with a long-nosed gentleman, the result being that the latter secured a cheque for \$10,000 which was later ascertained to have gone to the authorities at "X port" for a building fund. The next day 'a thin man dressed in rags (a peasant) appeared before the gentleman in the rocking chair to ask for an extension of time to pay his rent of \$30 owing to the failure of his crops, but the gentleman's counthe peasant was refused hearing

sympathy will be felt in their and driven did by a servant.

The Rev. G. R. Lindsay will purtment was questioned by His Worship as to the impression gained by a reader of the article. He said that the . "long-nosed gentleman" was an allusion to a European and that "X pert" stood for Hongkong. His Worship remarked that he gathered the Chinese were openhanded with foreigners but closefisted in dealing with their own

The case concluded with a fine

STRIKE PICKETS. WARRANT FOR ARREST OF

NO. 2 CHIEF.

ALLEGED DISAPPEARANCE.

According to Canton vernacular The husband of the woman even the Strike Executive) for the

the detention, in Chinese territory, cipal Chinese police detective of Macao, by the boycott pickets. It is stated that a death penalty has been applied for on the grounds of alleged lack of syming (by so-called pro-Chan adthe pickets to seek sanctuary in,

For being found asleep while in charge of the Praya East Police Station, a Chinese constable was fined \$50 at the Magistracy this morning. During six months of the man's total service of one year, the record showed that he had ten reports, all of a serious nature.

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TRAMS VERSUS BUSES

LOSSES.

Motor-'bus competition is causing loss of revenue to the Glasgow Corporation Tramways which the general manager, Mr. James Dalrymple, in a memorandum to the Town Council estimates

£100,000 per annum.

Competition Effect.

In the course of his membrandum Mr. Dalrymple states that if stage carriage licences, as asked by the 'bus proprietors, were granted this loss of revenue could easily be doubled or trebled. Under these conditions the tramway undertak-

ing could not exist. He knew of no place in the whole kingdom where there was such wild, unrestricted competition as there was in and around Glasgow. The motor-'bus could not cope with the traffic conditions in Glasgow. capable of doing this.

The tramcar, if it was to carry on, year 1921. This protection could not be given women. "fishermen." "and 1,743 riages were to be allowed to com- Builders, bricklayers, stone and five-mile limit.

was too slow. The Ministry of woman is becoming a keen "com-Transport granted the trancar petitor with man. The national maximum speeds up to 20 miles per stocktaking reveals the following hour. With this maximum Glasgow I state in the industries shown;attained an average scheduled speed of between nine and ten miles: per hour. This was almost the highest in the kingdom. The legal maximum speed for the motor-buswas twelve miles per hour. Their schedule time was 17 miles per hour or over, which meant, of course, that they must travel at over 30 miles per hour to maintain that schedule." "The motor-bus, therefore," the report adds. "has to break the law on every journey it makes, and notwithstanding the prosecutions that have taken place, this excessive, reckless, and dangerous speeding is still being carried on." And this was being done ing and quarrying, 3,023 were by persons who wished to have their vehicles licensed to do b purely city business.

WOMEN IN TRADE.

Helping to Solve Problems...

The Duchess of Atholl considers FEXED DEPOSITS received for I year that if more women were allowed clocks and scientific instruments. or shorter period streates which will be to face the responsibilities of bust- in 1921, their women colleagues quoted on application. ness, they would help to solve some numbered only 2,445. A. H. FERGUSON, of the problems confronting the Paper makers and workers, leaders of industry. was speaking at a meeting of the printers, bookbinders and photo-Business Club of Dundee, and said graphers, totalled 188,518 men and she believed that one of the reasons why women did not interest themselves in business to the same extent as men arose from the fact that many women approached life from a more idealistic point of view than some men. Women of that type were not likely to be attracted by the sordid and inhuman character given by its detractors to in-

dustry and commerce. She had read that out of 27,000 directors of limited liability companies only 200 were women. In France a wife frequently Keelung, Bokoto, Nanto, Shin- took an important share in her chiku, Taichu, Tainan, Takao, husband's business. She could

> Difficulties arose sometimes between Capital and Labour. If the co-operation" between men and women could be more widely extended to the more responsible grades of industry and commerce by the admission of women proved capacity or unquestionable inherited gifts; she felt that great

benefits would accrue to those great interests, and through them to thousands of working people. - By coming together in closer understanding and sympathy in this very important field of work, the business men and women Britain would make a real contribution toward the attainment of that national unity which must ever be one of the great goals of thoughtful and constructive statesmanship. vants.

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SUGAR AND FLOUR.

Local Prices Rise on Account of Exchange.

by Nam Pak Hong firms, make in- and complete return to the gold teresting reading.

against \$3.45.

The rise in prices is attributed of the country. to the drop in exchange, says the Kung Sheung Yat Po."

WOMEN WORKERS.

Growding Into "All Walks.

How woman is advancing in all the professions and callings. The tramcar was the only vehicle shown in the Census of Occupa-

if buses operating as stage car- women earned their bread as pete with tramway-cars within the slate workers, and contractors, 262:

of them as employers and managers. Many people said the tramear In more conventional pursuits

Men. Women. Agriculture ...... 1,171,298 83,052 Riming and quaerrying ........ 1.061,549 Brick, pottery and glass-making ... 92,144 42,041

Textile workers ... 371,964 608,964 Textile goods and articles of dress: 288,673: 548,043 Soods, drink and tobacco ..... 193,482 100,594

Fransport and communication (rail, road and

water) ...... 1,420,593 63,580 Of the women employed in minengaged above ground in coal and shale mines. Only 109,074 women were employed as metal workers, as against 1.540,235 men, but in precious metals and electro-plate

and 29,439 men. In "Black Coat" Jobs.

there are 15,234 women workers

While 24,201 men made watches.

Her Grace including such occupations 109:858 women.

It is in the "black coat" occupations that Woman is making such giant strides. Pork Chop ...... In commerce, finance, and in-

surance (excluding clerks) there were 1,068,120 men and 496,056 This classification ranges from Sheep's Head & Feet ... . The

company directors and bank officials to costermongers, hawkers, and newspaper sellers. It includes moneylenders, pawn- Sucking Pigs, to order, 22 brokers, and auctioneers.

Suet, Beef ...... Ordinary professional occupations (excluding clerical staffs) were represented by 806,830 men-"not help thinking that if women and 359.982 women, including those good education and wide associated with the various reli-Socrabaya, Semarang, Batavia, the special difficulties in industry solicitors, doctors and a great Barbel .....

variety of other professions. Entertainment And Sport.

More than 71,000 women came under the heading of "Persons employed in public administration and defence (excluding professional men and typists)." The spheres of entertainment and sport employ 67,000 men and 27,981 women.

The persons engaged in personal service (including institutions clubs and hotels) easily headed all other totals and seem to provide an answer to the plaint of Mrs. Suburbia, "Where do the maids get to?" More than two million people are so employed, including 1,676,425 women, and a sub-head shows that of these numbers 1,148,698 women and 61,006 men are domestic ser Labres .....

Loach ..... There were 568,034 men clerks Lobsters iraughtsmen and typists, with Mis 1921 close on their heels to th Monk Fish ..... number of 429.695. Mullot .....

No occupation goes without this sex challenge. Even the 877 men organ-grinders, street musicians and street artists have their 10 women rivals. Pomfret, Black ...... When this census was taken, of

the 13,901,108 males of 12 years and upwards, 12,112,718 were occupied, and of the 15,699,805 women and girls under the same classification, 5,065,332 were at work.

We are informed that the tota output of the Kallan Mining Administration's mines for week ending March 27, 1926, amounted to 67,499 tons, and the sales during the period to 84,794

GOLD POLICY.

Poronto, March 13.-On the plea that Canada is holding too much gold "in reserve, rather than too little, several financial institutions, notably the Royal Bank, are again Comparative figures for com- urging upon the Federal Governmodities dealt in to a large extent | ment the advisability of immediate

Canadian Bankers Feelings.

No. 24 rough white Java sugar It the Ontario mines continue was quoted yesterday at \$8.18 per to sell bullion to the Mint at picul, against \$7.28 of a month Ottawa, and if the Government ago. No. 18 rough brown Java continues to prohibit the export of sugar is \$8:10 against \$7.19, gold, there is a possibility, argues Medium quality American wheat the economist of the Royal Bank, flour is \$3.75 (per sack of 50 lbs.) of the Dominion's gold reserves soon exceeding the total note issue Owing to increased production

of the precious metal and to importation, of gold in the last two autumns, when the rate of exchange has made such a measure profitable, the total accumulation of reserves has reached the proportion of 60 per cent. of the note issue of the chartered banks and of the Dominion Finance Departtions England and Wales for the and Germany have found it feas- stitute a form of extravagance in revive the appetite, aid digestion. must have adequate protection. There were, for instance, ol66; with a backing of only 40 per therefore, it is recommended that Medicine Co., 80 Kiangse Road. Shangnote issue.

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Heart .....

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Water Fish. 」水魚)

Carp .....

Catfish .....

Crabs .....

Dog Fish .....

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Yellow .....

Gudgeon .....

Mackerel .....

Pomfret, White ....

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South African Argument Used.

The same argument used South Africa is advanced wherethe advisability of our returning to gold payments in order to create grenter confidence abroad and thus to hasten an improvement in general business. Capital is cited as conservative, money for development of natural resources being much more likely to flow into those Dominions that have resumed specie payments than, into those that have failed to show such confidence in their own financiali

Figures of the Dominion's international balance sheet are also cited in argument. To Canada's total favourable balance of visible trade, aggregating \$378,730,672; for the year ended with January, are added approximately \$80,000,000 from Canadian investments abroad besides \$120,000,000, which is considered at conservative estimate of the value of the Dominion's tourist trade, making a complete total which admits of subtraction for the payment of the \$300,000,000

interest on Canada's foreign debts. It is argued that our gold holdment. Yet Great Britain, Sweden ings of \$238,000,000 actually con- constinution, restore daily regularity. ible to resume specie payments the loss of interest entailed, and, cents the vial, from the Dr. Williams' gent. of gold against their total the total be reduced by \$50,000,000; hall which should be used for the re- PINKETTES KEEP YOU WELL

duction of Canadian debts abroad Urges Delay in Specie Payments.

The Bank of Montreal has counselled delay in the resumption of ... spacie payments for fear Canada's gold might be rapidly drained away. The more optimistic advisers of the Government's Finance Department do not see any justification for such an apprehension.

For the sake of safety, however, they recommend that the present power of the Dominion Government to issue notes to the charteredi banks 'in the form of loans: against satisfactory security be suspended if at any time the gold reserves fall below 40 per cent. of the total note circulation.

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#### TRADE BOYCOTT.

AN AMERICAN MERCHANT'S

PROSPECTS OF SETTLEMENT.

Prospects that the tende boycott at Canton will be lifted soon seem much brighten, Mr. J. V. Munray, chiefool the Texas Oill Company in on March 21. He bases his opinion on a gable received from the Hongkong, office of his organisies, tion, which stated that the boycott apparently will be lifted shortly:

However present indications may change. Mr. Murray pointed out, and while the situation one be a favourable brend.

"The average man in the street specially designed for journalists; lodges. im the Boycott," Mir. Murray told a representative of "The Japan Advertiser" in an interview on March 21. "It is being maintained by a few agitators. The unti-foreign feelling is less than I of 11% per cent. I should say, among the average Chinese.

selling when it will lift. .

conditions."

The manner in which the Canton authorities are clamping down bu tracke was discussed. Mr. Marrier swid that goods more them any other. Bud coused a great slame in most lines of merchandise. Buitish goods that are caught by the so-called "strike Bickets," confiscitled, he explained, and sold ad auction. The money emined in that fushion going into the strikers fund for continuing, the strike, or boycott.

"So the merchant in such cases has not a chance." Mr. Museus commentedt. . "As a result, some are shipping their products into the territory affected by this strike. and leaving off any distinguishi marks. In this fashion, they sometimes are able to evade détection.

The Canton Covernment has put a monopoly on nearly everything, able, he said. Other things not handled under this monopoly-which Mr. Mulray said had been declared by merchants and others to be illegal under the commercial treaties -are taxed excessively, making trade virtually impossible, o

l'enders, holds the whip hand.

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#### FOURTH ESTATE.

A PLACE IN UNIVERSITY CURRICULA.

ADVANTAGES OF DIPLOMAS

In quite a number of countries journalism has found h place in Provincial Grand Master of Surrey the university curricula. The Freemasons, has had his time so United States has gone furthest in this direction. There several opportunity since his installation Moorgate-place, E.C., recently, on Jupun and China, said in Tokyo universities possess schools, even of meeting the members of the faculties of journalism, with large various lodges in his province unti staffs, and award degrees to successful candidates. The British Surrey Provincial Grand Lodge was have been slower to accept the in- held at Central Hall. Westminster. novation, but the University of The province has eighty-six lodges. London grants a diploma in jour- with a membership of something nalism. four of the affiliated col- like 6,000, and it was a very large leges dealing with various depart- | gathering which assembled to mee ments of the subject. A diploma has Revall Highness. Provincia is also given by the University of Grand Officers. Past Provincial day might bok one way, another Queensland and the University of Grand Officers, and reigning The New Zealand, where, at Canter- Musters of lodges occupied seats bury College, a lectureship in in the main body of the Grand which is extraordinary and remark. tained by comparatively small journalism was established some Hall, while the remainder of the number of agitators anyway, may | years ago: Other universities in | accommodation there and the whole continue in spite of what seems to Britain and the dominions periodi- of that in the galleries was taken

Sydney (says the "Sydney Morn- was called and the members of tion of the scheme particulars of Grand Officers and reigning Mas-"But the few in chargeouse the which were recently published. | ters of lodges passed in procession ones back of this, and there is no The aspirant for a diploma is re- to the platform and were severally quired to combine theoretical and presented to his Royal Highness "While business is suffering gen- bractical training. He must have by name and rank. erally . in Bongkong and Canton, four years experience of actual Prince's Interest in "Freemasonry, Mr. Museum said his company had newspaper work under conditions. The Prince afterwards made increased their output there due approved by the University. He four of the half, and then briefly

This, however, Mr. years, and to pass examinations whee as that of Sumey goes with-Manney exploined, was in spite of in the prescribed subjects. The lour saying, and I am very glad the situation and certainly not be- nature of these courses will de- to have this opportunity of meetcause of it; and he added that the pend upon the academic standing ling so many members of increase was not nearly as great of the diploma seeker. The basic lodges in that province. I thank as it could have been under normal principle of the scheme is that you for the very kind way the greater the candidate's initial which you have received equipment the smaller is the Unfortunately I cannot take amount of additional preparation as active part in the Masonie that need be demanded of him (or | Affairs of the province as I could! or more branches of learning, and work much better than I could the will escape with a few more or possibly hope to do it. to travel before he reaches the and allow me at the same time to character goes on growing, there scheme, will not come into com- themendous help to Freemasons.

diploma in journalism will have particularly thank all who are preat his command a store of general isent. Many of you are business and diversified knowledge which men, and no doubt it is very inwill be extremely useful to him in convenient for you to meet me here. his profession. No doubt there I extend to you all a fraternal are some who may be sceptical on greeting." The foreign interests are opposed this point. We may be told that Cheers followed the Prince's to the Canton monopoly and ex- the journalist is bonn, not made, speech and the playing of the Nacessive taxes. Mr. Muiray pointed and that no academic titles and tional Anthem marked the conout, and efforts are being made to tests can compensate for the ab- clusion of the interesting cerehave them abolished. In the mean-sence of natural aptitude. We mony. time, efforts are being made by would be the very last to agree some to evade the regulations set that a university training by itdown by the Canton Government, self would fit anyone for a journ-This Covernment, incidentally, he alistic career. He must learn in explained, is a sort of council the school of experience. But no which together with the military severance between the practical and the theoretical aspects is contemplated. The scheme insists upon each: And surely it is indisputable that the better informed a pressman is the better will he be at his job. The ideal journalist, it has been said, is one who knows something about everything and everything, about something. That is a consummation attainable by few. But "it stands to reason that one who has given some systematic study to a selection of the subjects included in the scheme will find them of value in journalistic work. It is true that he can become an authority on them without attend Mr William schun- ing lectures at a university or passing examinations. But the

advantage of a university course is that it aids endeavour and Mr J. S. Harston Mr J. R. Sindlinger directs it to the best purpose. We universities are showing an ever should remember that almost in- increasing disposition to take variably the practical men, the under their wing callings which empiricists, have viewed the in- were formerly thought to be outtrusion of the universities into side the academic province, and new spheres with misgivings. the preparation for which was The medical man who had served thought to be unsusceptible of his apprenticeship with the treatment on academic lines. anothecary and the practitioner may deplore the tendency, and was quite convinced that medicine say that it makes the universities could not be taught at the univer- glorified technical schools. But it stries. The practising lawyer used is not restricted to the newer to assert that the university train- ones; even the ancient and con-Judgment was given for the ing was valueless. Law, he de- servative foundations have sucplaintiff yesterday afternoon in clared, could only be learned in cumbed, and always the effect has the case in which the return of the court and in chambers. The been to enhance the status and

PRINCE PROVINCIAL GRAND MASTER.

SURREY GRAND LODGE.

The Prince of Wales, who much occupied that he has had no recently when a special meeting of

ing Herald") is giving the study each rose inctuin as the name and tion on the part of all classes. of journalism its official counten- number of their lodge were read But while this is true of dividual ance. For some time discussions out. The Prince desired to get in Envings, the converse has been true have been proceeding between re- | touch with as many as possible presentatives of local journalism of the officers and members of the ings. Life insurance has inand the University authorities, lodges in his province, and for and the result has been the adop- this purpose Present. Provincial

ing the past year. . In spite the will also have to attend lectures addressed the gathering. He said: Boycott, he said the flexus Oil im certain specified courses over that I am proud to be Provincial Company's products had shown an a period of not less than two Canad Master of so splendid a proher). Thus he may already be wish, and perhaps that is very the holder of a degree with first- [Bucky for your" (Laughter.). I am class honours. This presupposes glad to know that I have a very a high level of proficiency in one excellent deputy who can do the less technical courses. On the lassure year of my continued inother hand, the person with in- | terest in all that concerns Freeferior qualifications has further masonry in the province of Surrey, ordained standard, and will have lacknowledge the great help, that to take courses in cultural or pro- the province has given to the danger that the funds available flessional subjects, numerous Masonic Million Memorial Festival, options in which are allowed. The a fund which is going to be a plete operation until funds for the feel sure that you will support me institution of certain courses are to the utmost of your ability in my provided. But these are dimited presidency at the festival of the to the technical subjects: in the Masonic Institution for Girls. rest instruction is already avail are anxious that it shall be a great

success. Once more I thank you Clearly anyone who gains a for your cordial reception, and I

Our answer to the question. "Where is the modern juzz era going to?" is: It's going into one era and out of another.-"Life."

The little girl in Sunday school had blundered in pronouncing patriarchs" as "partridges." "You mustn't make game of the

ancient worthies?" admonished th

It may be added that the Bible Hebrew which Luther used to ranslate the Bible into German is n the Berlin Library. It. tatered and torn, and shows many signs of use.

\$30,000 and interest (money in product of the engineering schools prestige of the callings concerned, vested in the Hop Yick Investing was for long regarded with rather The standard of competence has Company) was claimed by Ng contemptuous toleration by those risen; the ethical code has im-Leung on the grounds of false and who had graduated from the proved. By virtue of the academic fraudulent representation. Mr. ranks of the trade. We realise recognition they liave ranked as Fitzroy, for the defence, was not now that theory and practice are professions. We need not doubt allowed to be heard as the state supplementary. The one gives a that the establishment of a ment of defence had been flied too grasp of principles, the other diploma in journalism here will guides their application. The have the same effect.

LORD BRADBURY'S WARNING TO PUBLIC AUTHORITIES.

BORROWING AND INDUSTRY

Lord Bradbury delivered address to the London members the Institute of Chartered Accountantist in the Institute. The Yield of Capital."

In the statistics he had recently

ling the past few years, it seemed I to be fairly clear that the rate saving, in relation to the national income; had declined, and was declining " If " he said. look round in London and every where else we find evidence of ant improvement in the general style of living-motor travel is one instance, the cinema is anotherable in a period of low production and industrial depression. Therecan be no doubt whatever that the cally, provide lecture courses up by members of the different psychological tendency, beginning well back in the 'nineties, has in Canton is not greatly interested And now the University of The roll of the eighty-six lodges been averse to saving. There has of what I may call collective savcreased, and is increasing; and that brought, very larger savings: into the investment market through the operations of the insurance companies. Then amongst the working classes, through building societies and in other ways, savings are certainly satisfactory. having regard to the fact that we are going through a period of in-

dustrial depression. Serious Cause for Anxiety. "I see a most serious cause for anxiety with regard to the future!" continued Lord Bradbury, "in the enormous growth of borrowing by public authorities. There is no doubt whatever that an increasing proportion of the savings of the community is being used for purposes, desirable in themselves, but which will not increase the future income of the country... There are the schemes for housing waterworks, main roads, possibly schemes for improving the transmission of electrical energy, which may ultimately increase the profits of the industry but about. which it is impossible to make any calculation. If, as seems likely, the proportion in loans of this appears to me to he very great for industry will be really insufficient for the industrial requirements. Among the dangers that stand around the naths of on a capitalistic basis, is the growth of these semi-social services financed by public authorities. . . 1 do not myself believe that this large expenditure by the central govern-

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dupital work is consistent with the war, but he did not know that it present capitalistic state of the or- was the permanent tendency of gunisation of society, and either | the race. He would like to see that expenditure will have to be real growth of working-class savseriously diminished or the prin- ings. Ho believed if wages reciple will have to be extended, and mained at a level at which a worksome attempt at State regulation man could save, and by that means Chinese I imported).

most serious danger." Taste for Luxury Growing. In reply to questions, Lord Bradbury said he believed the decline in saving was due to the high rate of taxation in the case seen of the course of savings dur- of the well-to-do, and to a general feeling of unrest as to the future. He thought also that the taste for luxury was growing. It was possible that the moral fibre of the country had somewhat deterio, ated ... "Punch."

DECREASED SAVINGS, ment and the local authorities on That, he thought, began before the "of savings and capital will have obtain a real interest in the unto be made. That seems to be the dertaking to which he gave his Inbour; it would go a longer way to solve the industrial and social problem than either the rigid anplication of the old capitalist system or modern Socialist theories.

The Woman: "Have you always:

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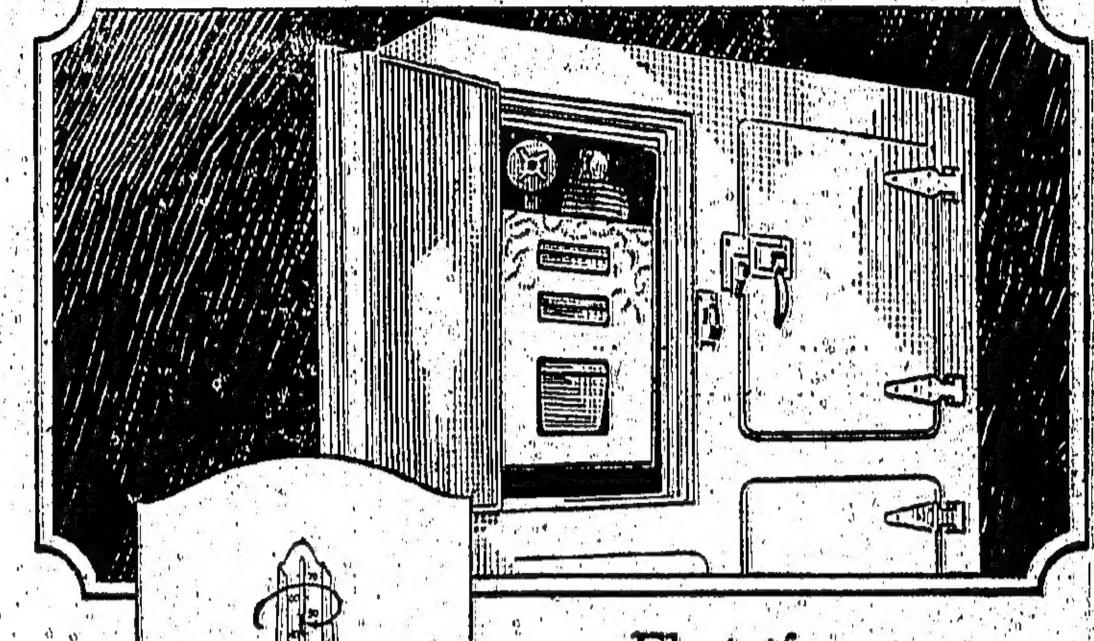
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(6 Chinese, 1 Japanese). Cerebro spinal fever: 2 cases, 2 deaths (all Chinese). Three cuses of onterio fever were notified on Monday, the patients being Chinese.

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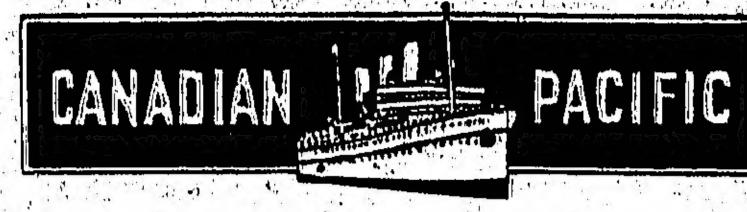
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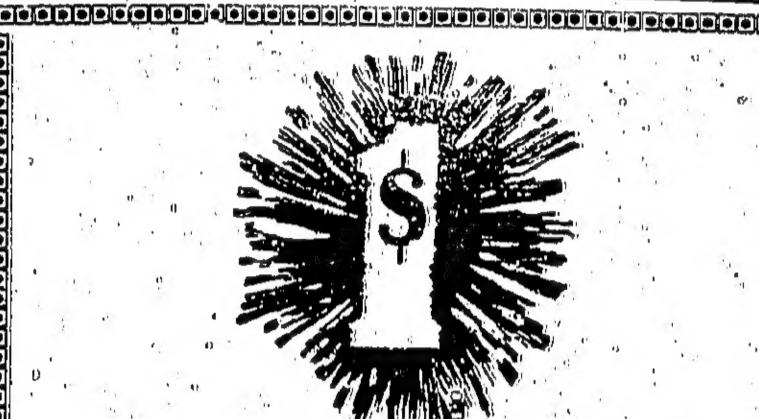
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#### RUSSIAN LABOUR.

CONFIDENCE IN TRADE UNIONS LOST.

British workers, who imagine that Russian labour conditions are lideal, will find a good deal to interest them in the report which My. Tomsky gave to the 14th Congress at Moscow of the Communist Party. Mr. Tomsky, who is chairman of the All-Russian Council of Trade Unions, says, for instance, that, in principle, strikes in State undertakings are prohibited. A

atrike in a proletarian State is a proof of some defect in the State machinery, or of the weakness of the trade unions, or of lack of education on the parts of the workers. The trade unions must do everything in their power to settle disputes in State undertakings by means of conciliations or arbitration, and at all costs to avoid strikes. There have recentby been certain "irregularities in the settlement of disputes. Instead of being settled by conciliation and arbitration, some of these disputes have been referred to the Communist party organisations. Such action impairs the authority of the regular institutions, makes nonparty workers lose confidence in their union and in the impartiality of the decisions taken, and ends by embittering disputes and disorganising the whole labour movement. In private undertakings, or the other hand, any form of dispute is allowed; but a strike may be declared only in the event of the failure of conciliation and arbitration. In no case should the trade unions exercise any administrative pressure on the private employer, for this tends to weaken the worker's notion of the class struggle and the power of the trade union. The trade union should rather strengthen the authority of the Commissariat of Labour as an

impartial arbitrator. Mr. Tomsky, it will be observed, condemns the practice of referring MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS. disputes to the Communist Party organisations. Yet, further on, he expresses the opinion that the trade unions can only fulfil their functions under the direction of the Communist Party. The Party is, day. he says, the organised vanguard of the working classes which directs the whole proletarian movement towards the single end of the struggle for Communism. On its side, the Party must secure that the trade unions are properly led

by the Communist elements within them; but the Communist elements via Shanghate Kobe and Yokohama The Steemship themselves must avoid the errors at noon of April 16.

which hitherto they have falled to The P. & O. s.s. "Kashgar" left CONBIGNEES of Cargo are hereby which hitherto they have failed to avoid, i.e., they must refrain from a meddlesome interference in the daily activities of the trade unions; they must also be chary of a bad choice of trade union leaders and of too often changing such leaders when once elected. The Pational Minority Movement, no doubt exists in this country to "secure that the trade unions are properly led by the Communist elements within them," although its leaders

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are not quite so frank about it as

Mr. Tomsky is .- "Engineering."

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Singapore for this port yesterday 9,30 a.m. with the outward English Mails, and is due here on April 17, at about noon. The P. & O. s.s. "Perim". left

Singapore for this port on April 11 at 7 a.m. and is due here on April 17 at about 6 a.m.

The C.P.S., R.M.S. "Empress of Asia" left Vancouver for Hongkong, via Japan ports and Shanghai, on April 8 and is due here The s.s. "Sumatra" (Swedish

East Asiatic Co., Ltd.), left Dunkirk on March 16 and is due here on or about April 23. The B. L. s.s. "Bendoran" from

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The times of high-and low-water must not be considered to coincide with the times of slack-water and change of current, the two phenomena being quite distinct. April 9 to 15, 1926.

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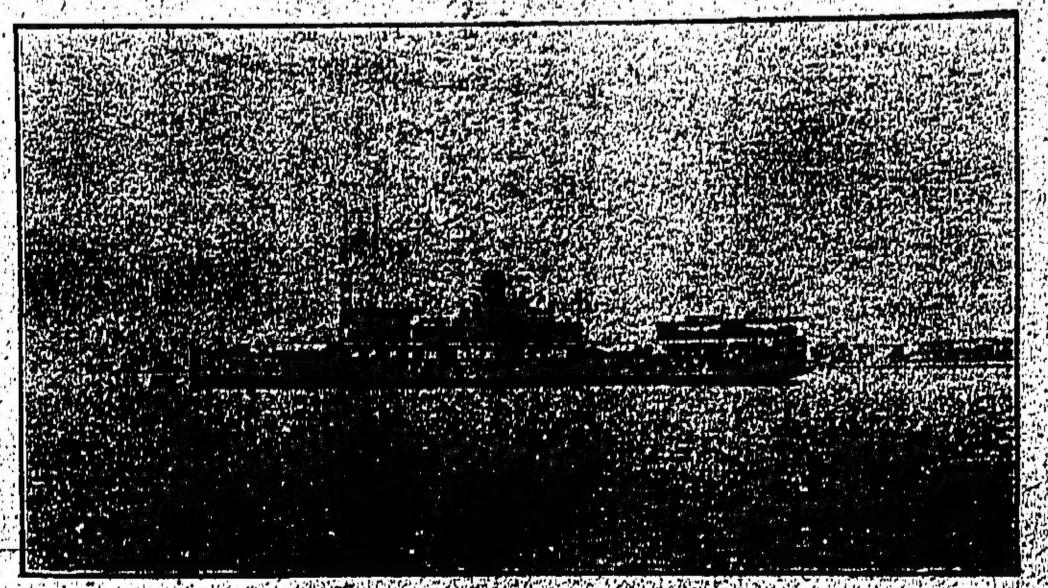
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Hongkong, Wednesday, April 14, 1926

SPEND YOUR MONEY HERE.

In some of the provincial news-papers in Australia there is published a standing notice to readers enjoining them to support their own town or district and to remember that every penny spent locally tends directly to further local prosperity. This advice not uncalled for, when it is known that there has been a tendency on the part of provincial residents to "regrettable flasco," let, us offer send for goods to the nearest big one suggestion that will obviate centre of trade-to wit, the re- any difficulty whatsoever in the spective capitals of the States future. In the Federal elections comprising the Commonwealth- in Australia it is enacted that whilst ignoring the claims of each voter must go to the poll. If local traders.

What is good for the Austra- example in Hongkong and officials lian goose may be equally good for the Hongkong gander. A casual visitor to the precincts of the Post Office here on Home parcels day cannot but be struck by the very large number of parcels that are despatched by Home wholesale and retail merchants to people of all classes in Hongkong. From to Portugal and Peking, for why careful enquiries it would appear should not Hongkong "tell the that this trade between local re- woild of its limited emancipasidents and business firms at tion? One of Monday's candidates ... His Worship granted the applic admirably. Home is increasing to a surprising has broken out into truisms. He

But-is this fair? Is it good cricket? Is it playing the game by Hongkong firms who have high overhead costs to maintain whe ther trade is good or whether trade is bad? They are part and parcel of the community, and ob-Lviously the prosperity of the community must be jeopardised by the diversion of money from its rightful channels. Every dollar spent in the Colony must inevitably reflect in some favourable direction on the state of local trade Every dollar sent out of

in Australia local residents may times in ignoring local shopsthat the latter's stocks are poor inadequate, and often out of date. Therefore if rural traders grumble at the bigger centres cutting in on them, it is often due to their own lack of enterprise and initiative. Here in Hongkong no such plea can be advanced. The local stores will bear comparison being abreast of the times both in respect of stocks and qualities. Why, then, pass them over and ing" on "red letter days." calls for that most practical test of all—the spending of your money in the place where it is ways. In other words, as the community supports you, it is "up to support the com-

ELECTION THOUGHTS.

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There is danger and delight in

elections. The Importance of Alleging that they had not been Being Earnest might well be the theme of any contest. Electors in the house to the construction of use a vote, but do they weigh the which they had contributed so

consequences? Do they compare and Mrs. Stubbs, of Singa- candidates and policies and decide led to their appearance in the They did in fact do so and this accordingly? Generally, they do Summary Court this morning, not. And it is perhaps too much the landlord of the house in question claiming rent for the period to expect Hongkong to be the shining example to the world on

The landlord's case was that the employment of the workmen in question was entirely the concern of the contractor and that this contractor (now dead) had been patriot and the Chinese plump for

The workmen maintained that the landlord was liable for their

ing evidence His Lordship found or sober! Whilst legal minds are | for the landlord and made an order for possession. With regard. the money claimed as rent, a stay of execution was granted.

that his instructions were to apply

possession

ese arrested at Wong Nel Chong money for an infinite, variety of Road yesterday with a revolver and our rounds of ammunition Sub-Inspector Field asked for a remand for three days, which was

therefore do not call this a truism. Editor : The lokes we be getting a sent after of the Indian Milelian glow of demand insceed of the chi here makes Henricona so much Line into the store water from grant a holder of the restriction colour may help by

TREASURE LOST?

TWO VALUABLE SILK BOATS FOUNDER.

TWENTY LIVES LOST

Two valuable silk junks-of an cutstanding type easily notice during the War renounced his able in Canton's waterways American Citizenship! have foundered with treasure on

of Yungkee, in the Shuntak disthat they sank. Over twenty per- of Merit; he received it when he sons, both crew and passengers, was barely conscious; he made no have not been accounted forth Because of their comparative immunity from attack, they carried about \$50,000 in cash, and the aware of the imposing honour, he and behaved to me well. But I money went down with the junks. said, 'Pray spare my blushes.' !" The arsenals, including pieces of cannon and machine-guns, were

In some of the provincial towns | reached Canton boats were sent out with rescue complements from have this in their fayour some- a hospital and an interested honourable age of 78 years. Here a loss organisation. The result of their work has not been known.

Junks of this type, it may not be generally known, are veritable floating fortresses, although clumsy in appearance. rews, provided with both solete and modern weapons-from brand new quick-firers to muzzle loaders and stinkpots—have often repulsed piratical hordes or fought till their ammunition was expended. Between master and with any port in the Orient for man there is a scale of reward (based on percentages of the value of cago carried) and a fixed schedule of compensation for casualties. Huge sums of money send your custom 10,000 miles are transported by these junks, away? Local patriotism calls for and merchants in the silk trade more than mere "trumpet blow- are only accepted as passengers on the security of their chops. It is, however, difficult to speak of their seaworthiness even on the Canton system of water-

### WORTHY OF HIRE?

TAKING POSSESSION OF HOUSE.

WORKMEN'S GRIEVANCE.

A novel manner of settling grievance was adopted by a Chinese mason and carpenter who had been engaged in building a house in Queen's Road East.

naid wages they determined to live materially.

of occupation and for their ejection.

paid in full for the work.

payment and one of them stated that the landlord had, in fact, paid him 380 in connection with the This was denied and after hear-

ARMS SEIZURES. LARGE HAULS MENTIONED

IN COURT YESTERDAY'S ARREST

The seizure of six Mauser pistols, and 4.680 rounds of ammunition was mentioned before Mr. R. Lindsell at the Central Magistracy

for a formal remand in police custody until to-morrow, morning. Mr. M. W. Lo, for the defence, he small (asks the London Dail

of destructive criticism has been granted.

## SHRDDS AND PARCHES

Here is an interest-Henry James. ing story of the Thumb-Nail examples, taken from great writer, who,

came to light the lamp, as if half

England's one-time When news of the incident Ellen Terry: famous actress has now reached is a story told of her by Joseph Pennell who went to the Lyceum to draw the scenery of "Faust" produced by Henry Irving. He sat in Gun la corner behind the proscenium and saw and heard much of Ellen Terry that the audience were not aware

"And when she entered sometimes she would, if she was late, slide down the banisters from her dressing-room as the quickest way to get on; and when there had been great applause, as soon as the curtain closed she would start follow-my-leader round the stage, jumping over chairs, and dragging Irving, growling, after till the curtain began to open for the bows. But the finest scene was her death when the angels appeared. The stage, the dungeon, was strewn with straw and made ready, and a thing like the top part of an eight-car outrigger was brought on, laid on the stage, and eight: lovely little lady angels lay down on it and were strapped to it; and when they were strapped tight, Ellen Terry would go round and tickle them with straws, and then they were furiously, but slowly, wafted to Heaven: but the language those lady angels used was not heard by the audience in the solemn death

Here are further Sketches. her letters, of Queen Victoria's thumb-nall

sketches of once eminent people "James's plea was, that England. Palmerston (from a letter to the board, about twenty lives being had done so much for him he must King of the Belgians): You know, Last Saturday, they were sail- | give himself to her, and shortly be- now already long, of the death of ing from Canton to Sui Tang fore his death he did. The Govern- poor Palmerston, alias Pilgerstein! (close to the well-known silk port ment, to show its appreciation, sent ..... He had many valuable trict). It was near Tai Shek Hol him, through Lord Bryce, the Order qualities, though many bad ones, and we had, God knows! terrible trouble with him about foreign sign. But later when the nurse affairs. Still as Prime Minister. he managed affairs at home well, never liked him, or could ever the least respect him, nor could I forget his conduct on certain occasions to my Angel [the Prince Consort]. He was very vindictive, and personal feelings influenced his polltical acts very much. Still, he is

Carlyle (from an account in the Queen's journal of a reception at which some "celebrities" had been asked to meet her); Mr. Carlyle, the historian, a strange-looking eccentric old Scotsman, who holds forth, in a drawling, melancholy voice, with a broad Scotch accent. upon Scotland and upon the utter

degeneration of everything. Dickens: I saw Mr. Helps this. evening, who brought and introduced Mr. Dickens, the celebrated author. He is very agreeable, with a pleasant voice and manner. He talked of his latest works. America, the strangeness of the people there; of the division of the classes in England, which he hoped would get better in time. He felt. sure that it would come gradually

Youth cocks his Points of View. hat and rides up the street. 'Age cocks his eye only to see it.

Youth puts his horse at a five barred gate. Age chackles grimly and sits

down to wait. Youth limps by with a broken kneed horse. Age, through the shutters, mut-

Youth curses Fate for his splitting head. Age lights the candle and hobbles to bed

ters "Of course!"

#### BRITISH ART.

Some time ago Sir Joseph. Duveen addressed to the Prim Minister a remarkable letter tha while British contemporary art of finer quality all round than at any time since the eighteenth century—a flattering judgment yet "at no time did artists in this country receive less practical popular support." We cannot challenge the accuracy of a statement which is accepted, we belibve, in all competent quarters; and it is little consolution to know that the reproach is of old standing against the British public, which has never been generous in its support of the contemporary for that reason we have long enjoyed the reputation of being an inartistic people, in the arts, as in music, compared with certain other peoples to whom the arts are 15 magazines, 380 ammunition clips a more essential element of life. There is at least enough truth in the charge to make us, wish to be this morning when two Chinese stle to rebut it, and if contemporcargo coolies were charged with ary artists are languishing for want of more popular support. It Det. Sub. Inspector Dorling said certainly behoves those who have influence in such matters to exercise it on behalf of the cause for which Sir Joseph Duveen pleads so cation, and to meet the wishes of Where are the patrons, great and

fixed the case for hearing on April Telegraph?") It will not do to say that there is no money to Another case concerned a Chin- purchase works, of art. There luxurious spending pleasures of all sorts. There moreover an exaggerated cult the satique admirable in itsel and, perhaps, the best possible educator of good taste and critical eye. If there were half th The local Mahomedan Community | enthusiasm displayed for picking and others will be interested to up and collecting the work o mow that the Mahomedan festival rising talent that is devoted to the of Ideal fite will be colebrated to antique artists and orestamen morrow Divine services will be would goon be sensible of the held ist the Hongkong Monna at thense, and would feel the warm has displayed in the catalogy that I society the thete heads for of neglective Parking has been the Colony that ought to be spent. Assistant Charles Coveriment Coveriment Coveriment and project and project the present atrong and the Transhoping opered ........ day to their Manonedan employees I sooner to plater it will be Yealsed

that the British decorative arts are flourishing amazingly. But too, often in this country recognition comes either when the artist is dead or when, as in the case of De Morgan, the potter, the oven fire has been put out in despair. There is an old ingrained want of confidence in the work of the mative artist-till he has become famous or fashionable. It is a tradition dating from the time when we imported our art, our music, and our craftsmen, and when it is super-imposed, as we must confess it is. upon an imperfect realisation of the truth of the saying that the world without art would be a great wilderness which saying means little to many of those who could best afford to be discriminating and generous patrons—we better work of its own artists. Perhaps understand how it is that while we build Art and Technical Schools at the public expense, the artists who issue from them languish for



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#### MISSING AIRMAN.

SPANISH MACHINE FOUND

INTACT., o

FORCED LANDING?

(Reuter's Service.)

Bagdad, April 12. The separation of Estevez, who was leader of the flight, from his

colleagues was due to a difference of opinion in the air between Cairo and Bagdad. Estevez altered his course

southward and the others pursued their own counsels and reached Bagdad from Caivo in record time It is hoped that Estevez has fallen in with friendly Arabs because his machine is without.

#### No. Anxiety.

Cairo, April 13. A British airman has found the missing Spanish neroplane intact a hundred miles from Amman, with a note saying the occupants are making their way afoot, and hoped they would be picked up later.

The British airmen have not found evidence of external damage to Capt. Esevez's machine, and expressed the opinion that minor engine trouble was responsible for the forced landing.

No anxiety is felt here regarding. mechanic: Several British machines are scouring the country-

#### His Two Comrades.

Bushire, April 13. The two Spanish airmen, Loriga o and Gallarza, have arrived here from Bagdad and departed, after brief interval, for Bunder Abbas.

#### FRENCH "ACES."

FEIGHTS TO PERSIA AND

(Hanas Agency.)

Paris, April 12. According to the "Petit Parisien" Arrachart contemplates a flight to Persia and India with the minimum stops, while Challe intends to reach Japan.

### INCINERATED.

FATE OF TWO PERUYIAN

MACHINE ON FIRE.

(Reuter's American Service.)

Lima, April 13. a forced landing in a storm.

#### POLAR RACE.

AMUNDSEN TO ANNEX "NO MAN'S LAND."

START FOR SPITZEERGEN.

(Reuter's Service.)

Oslo, April 13. Amundsen and Ellsworth have started for Spitzbergen. The "Aftenposten" publishes a statement that Amundsen has been charged by the Premier to

Polar flight. Norge Leaves Pulham.

annex any land discovered in his

London, April 13. The Dirigible Norge has left Pulham for Oslo.

#### ELECTION AFFRAY. THREE KU KLUX KLAN

MEN SHOT:

EX-POLICE CHIEF DEAD.

(Reuter's Service.) Herrin (Illinois), April 13. Three Ku Klux Klan men, including the ex-chief of Police have been shot dead in the course of fighting between the Ku Klux Klan men and anti-Ku Klux-Klan adherents, following a local elec-

NO JOINT CONFERENCE WITH | building during the twelve months. MOSCOW.

(Reuter's Service.)

Labour, Socialist International re- below the previous quarter. in the Exchange. jected by 247 votes to 3 the pro- 1,167,000 tons are building in Mr. Hamaguchi, interviewed by posal of the British Independent other countries, a decreaso of the "Kokusai" this morning, added Labour Party for a joint conference 17,000 as compared with Decem- that no date had been set for with the Moscow Communist In- ber 31, 1825. The tonnage of future shipments, but Government ternational with a view to the motor-ships now building in the gold exports to America during formation of a United International: world is 918,000, of which 842.8 the fiscal year approximated

#### COAL DEADLOCK.

NO PROGRESS AT JOINT CONFERENCE.

AND EARLY SURPRISE

(Reuter's Service.)

London, April 3. The conference between the coal

owners and the miners Executive or the owners' proposals resulted in a deadlock, no progress being made. Miners' Case ..

The miners! Executive previously spent nearly four hours drawing up a reply to the Coal Commission' recommendations for submission to the coal owners.

The reply which, like the coa owners' proposals, examines each recommendation, says that, no way is acceptable which does not provide at least a wage sufficient to furnish a decent living standard.

The miners entirely disagree with the suggestion that the districts should settle the minimum percentage. They are of opinion that the national bodies are fully competent to deal with the wage. agreement question on a uniform

They do not consider the suggestion for redistributing the total visited the country between Tripoli were the homes of stills. weekly hours over five days a week and Zuara escorted by Arab horseto be practical. The disapprove of safety of Estevez and the suggestion to compensate the present owners of minerals, except. those who have purchased them.

They express their willingness to consider multiple shifts. Finally, they consider that both sides should at the earliest possible formulate a national agreement.

whereby the minimum percentage will be determined. Cause of Breakdown.

London, Later. Though nobody expected the owners' and miners' standpoints to be easily reconciled, a deadlock at this early stage in the negotiations came as a surrise.

. It appears from a statement issued by the owners to night that the breakdown was mainly due to the divergency of methods for fixing the minimum wage.

The miners pressed the owners to table figures which they proposed should constitute the minimum in various districts.

The owners, insisted that this was a matter in the first place for district consideration.

It is believed that Mr. S. Baidwin, vene quickly.

Guillermo Protzel and Juan Commission's report appends re- the opposition, describing Musso- shall keep out of politics in China, Podesta, two of Peru's best aviators, plies to the Commission's recom- line as the greatest evil that had my business being entirely in Hassan. have been incinerated owing to mendations, ad seriatim. The re- befallen Italy for a century. He Manchuria." their machine catching fire during plies, to a large extent, express declared that it was little short of willingness to engage in national settlement. as against district discussions, which they strongly advocated. The owners are of opinion that the recommendations for the State ownership of minerals is a Parliamentary question. They recognise that the miners do not entertain the proposal for longer house and they therefore wish to discuss the recommendations that the definition of working time be. weekly instead of daily and for greater flexibility in working hours.

#### LESS SHIPS.

The owners consider the most

the minimum percentage on the

basis rates and the amount of the

subsistence wage in each district.]

urgent matter is the settlement of

TOTALS LOWEST FOR 17 YEARS.

" (Reuter's Service.)

London, April 18. Lloyd's shipbuilding returns for the quarter ended March show 843,000 tons constructing in Great Britain and Ireland. decrease of 42,000 compared with December 31 and 322,000 compared with a year ago.

Work is suspended on 80,000 as compared with 74,000 March 31, 1925. The present totals are the lowest recorded since December, 1909, and are much below the average tonnage before the war. 198.000 tons were commenced during the quarter compared with 160,000 dur- The original intention to ship ing the fourth quarter of 1925, 2,000,000 yen in gold to America but the tonnage launched this pre- on April 17, has been cancelled A meeting of the Executive of the sent quarter, Tov, 000, is 25,000 owing to the recent improvement

#### WILD CAROUSALS.

THE END OF AN HISTORIC PENNSYLVANIA.

LIGHTHOUSE.

WEAK FOUNDATIONS.

(Reuter's American Service.)

BLOWN INTO SEA.

Philadelphia, April 13. into the sea during a violent gale, tlon.

of hulks sunk around it. until two years ago when a storm weakened its foundations.

#### HERO WORSHIP.

ARAB STEED FOR SIGNOR MUSSOLINE

(Reuter's Service.)

Tripoli, April 13. men, who saluted him in Roman

A number of the Arabs work "black shirts" under their cloaks. and one, speaking Italian, expressed the devotion of the natives to

The visit culminated at Zuar where after an official reception. hody of 600 Arab horsemen clad i superb burnous, performed most brilliant evolutions, after which their leader presented Mussolini with a magnificent Arab steed, with silver trappings, and a riding whip with a golden handle. He was also presented with a silver case inscribed.

THE OTHER SIDE.

"Greatest Evil in Italy."

(Reuter's American Service.) Washington, April 13.

Administration was pressed to make Great, Wall, and my entire attenefforts to secure the ratification of tion henceforth will be devoted to Mr. A. M. Rahim, Mr. J. S. Wadia, the Italian Debt Settlement.

Prime Minister, who is following having an eye toward the Autumn industry and peace! the negotiations closely, will inter- elections in the campaign of A cable of April 1, stated :- The warranted liberality toward Italy declared he was not interested in M. Hodges official statement of the coal Mr. Kenneth D. McKellar (De- who would be the next President,

agreement with or acquiescence in a crime to give the Italian despot the recommendations, including a the vast sum involved in the debt

## FLOOD DAMAGE.

BAGDAD MENACE SLIGHTLY RELIEVED:

" (Reuter's Service.)

Bagdad, April 13. improved, but the flood level in the lin. desert is stationary. Five thou-

The ladies of the Royal Family and Fengtal fronts: have gone to the King's cotton estate, a hundred miles north of Bagdad. King Feisal himself is temporarily, accommodated in the house of a wealthy Jewish merchant in Bagdad. The damage caused by the floods is probably £2,000,000.

It is estimated that 300,000,000 tons of water overflowed from the Tigris in the last three days, and consequently the drive round the city walls, instead of giving the usual arid desert vista, is more reminiscent of Brighton promenade. Local feminine fashions are changing accordingly, and Iriqui ladies are taking to sailor hats.

# CANCELLED

(Reuter's Service.)

Tokyo, April 13.

HORRIFYING PICTURE OF

GIRLS ASHAMED OF PARENTS. RESULT OF COURT-MARTIAL.

(Reuter's American Service.)

Washington, April 1. The historic Cape Henlopen & Several belated witnesses for the

ment's intentions to protect the Francis "Kasaczun, of Sugarlighthouse by means of a number notch, in the anthracite region of terms of imprisonment. Pennsylvania. He painted a hor-

He declared: are ashamed of their purents | mutineers had surrendered.] drunkenness: I was in a home where a three-year-old. child was crying for the moonshine. It would Colonel Bakirdji was also senbe a blessing if the law was modifi-

A woman probation officer of New Signor Mussolini and his suite York declared that tenement houses

State Definition.

Albany, April 13. The New York State Senate has adopted by 80 votes to 21 a Bill for | Seattle via Ports per sis. "President holding a referendum in the McKinley" on April 18. Autumn on the question memorialising Congress to amend the Volstead Act so as to allow each State to fix its own definition of intoxicating liquor:

### CHANG'S PLANS.

TO ERADICATE BOLSHEVISM FROM CHINA.

(Reuter's Service.)

Mukden, April 13. Marshal Chang Tso Lin, interviewed by Pressmen, stated: "My sole object "in this work is to eradicate Bolshevism from China, and as soon as that is in Hongkong on April 18. Signor Mussolini was the storm accomplished I will withdraw to centre in the Senate when the my own territory north of the H. Smith and Mr. J. McQueen. the reconstruction and develop- Mr. D. T. Uhinchandania, Corpl.

Chang. Tso-lin. seemed embitter- M. Cannan. denunciation of the so-called un- led against Feng Yu-hsiang. Heowners' proposals on the Royal mocrat, Memphis, Tennessee) led though a big man was needed. "I'

> Control of Peking Peking, April 12. The Wu Pei-fuite General, Tien Wei-chun, arrived in Peking from Lukouchao this afternoon and had a conference with Lu Chung-line who is arranging for competent civil, military, and police officials. to take over the control of the city in the event of the Kuominchun

evacuating it. -Wu Pei-fu has not yet replied to the Kuominchun direct, but he has informed a local representative that he must first discuss the The flood situation is slightly charged situation with Chang Tso-

Meanwhile the Kuominchun are "The Last Laugh." sand men are still working day and desperately retarding the advance of other forces on the Tungchow

### SOVIET FINANCE.

SOME FEATURES OF THE BUDGET

HOME CREDIT OPERATIONS.

(Reuter's Service.)

Moscow, April 13. M. Brukhanoff: Commissioner of Finance, in presenting the Soviet Budget of four milliard roubles, stated that 51 per cent. of the total expenditure was devoted to economic objects, 16 per cent to defence, and 30 per cent. to cultural requirements.

290,000,000 roubles last year:

M. Brukhanoff favoured an ex- Company Meetings. tension of home credit operations . April 16 Nineteenth meeting of in preference to the further print- shareholders of Gander Price Co. ing of bank notes

Reginald was dining out, and, fining Co., in the office of Messral under the watchful eye of his Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., at father and mother, he was be noon having really well. - April 24 Fourth meeting of

No thank you, repiled Reggie. Mother nearly gasped. Never April 14 Meeting of Hongkong Moscow, March 27-39 neby per Ireland amounts to 52.7 steam Berlin, March 27-And entire 1 10 thank 701/1-881d Regree 1- April 26-Meeting of Inches 10 10

GREEK MUTINY.

RINGLEADERS SENTENCED TO DEATH.

(Reuter's Service.)

Athens, April 19. An extraordinary court-martial ghthouse, guarding the entrance "Wets" appeared before the Senate has sentenced to death Colonel of Delaware Bay, ha been blown Committee of Enquiry into Prohibi- Zavellas and Major Karakoufa, of the Karabournou thus frustrating the Govern- The most notable was Father mutiny: and sentenced seven

[An Athens message of April The lighthouse was erected in rifying picture of the Diocese's 9 stated :- An official statement 1765 during the British Colonial open saloons, wild carousals among says that Majors Bakirdji, Karaperiod, and was constantly used the young, and the drunkanness of koufa, and Zavellas led the mutiny adults and even school children. of a small number of troops who occupied Karabournu, in the Gulf "At Summer resorts on the lakes of Salonica. Karabournu was young boys took girls from respec- surrounded. The fleet was ordertable homes for week-end, parties, ed to proceed to Salonica. Subse-I know of cases where good girls quently it was announced that the

Another Sentence. Athens, later. tenced to death, but the capital sentences have been commuted.

#### PASSENGER LIST.

ARRIVALS.

List of passengers arrived from Mr. Chan Chi-hang, Mr. S. Dunn,

Mr. F. W. Henke, Miss L. K. Haus, Mr. T. Hanowy, Mr. Ip King-fan, Mr. K. Engleeli, Mr. Kong M. Quan, Mr. and Mrs. Ng Wai-nan, Muster Ng, Missa V. Reinhart, Mr. and Mrs. G. Stoney, Mr. Wong Yuk-tin, Mr. J. D. Watt, Mr. A. Warnts, Mr. G. H. Schner, Miss L. E. Johnson Mr. J. Kosh. Mr. E. A. Moon, Mr. E. E. Mathewson, Mrs. S. Osmena, Mr. J. V. Osmena, Mr. and Mrs. J. Storer, Mr. P. M. Titus, Mr. M. P. Weideman, Mr. E. Woosner, Mr. and Mrs. P. T. P. Waterhouse, Mr. Yuen Lan-young, Mr. F. Zamora and Rev. P. Zunzarren.

Per P. & O. s.s. "Delta" from Kobe and ports on April 5 arrived

Shanghai to Hongkong: Mr. W Kobe to Bombay: Miss E. Ford, The Democrats are credited with ment of Manchuria, along lines of and Mrs. Sahxon and two children. Shanghai to Marseilles: Mr. A.

> Shanghai to Singapore: Mr. H Shanghail to Colombo or Bombay: Mr. Abdool Currim. Shanghai to Colombo: Mr.

## Snadows Before.

COMING EVENTS ANNOUNCED

IN THE "MAIL."

Entertainments. April 14 Queen's Theatre:

Wild Oranges. April 14-Star Theatre: "The Marriage Market." April 14 -World Theatre:

Song of Life." April 14-Sixth Concert in aid of St. John's Cathedral organ fund. at Cathedral Hall, 6 p.m. April 15-18 Queen's Theatre;

April 18 K.C.C. hold its final dance at Hongkong Hotel, 8.80 p.m. to midnight. Sports. April 16-Local Hockey,

H.K.H.C. "Wanderers" Company, E/Surrey Regiment, at U.S.R.C., 5.30 p.m. April 17-Shield finals, Junior and Senior Divisions, H.K.F.C.

Ground. April 17-Volunteer Cricket at University ground, 2.15 p.m. April 21 Fifth bi-annual ship's lifeboat race for the "Trevessa"

April 24 Final round in "Sun-

day Herald" Cup, between Portugal and England, on H.K.F.C. ground, April 24—Annual athletic sports of the Victoria Recreation Club.

Trophy, 4 p.m.

Auction. April 21-Auction of household The internal debt amounted to furniture at No. 10 Eastern House 44.000.000 roubles compared with (top floor) Hart Avenue, Kowloon. by Lammert Bros., 2.45 p.m.

> Ltd., at No. 2, Ice House Street, (St. George's Building) noon April 22-Forty-eighth meeting of shareholders of China Sugar Re-

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Miscellaneous.

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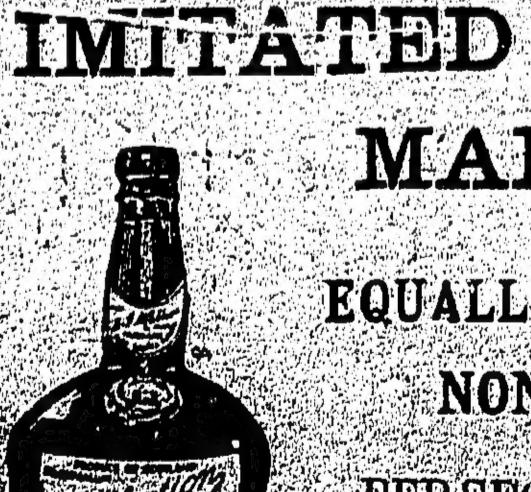
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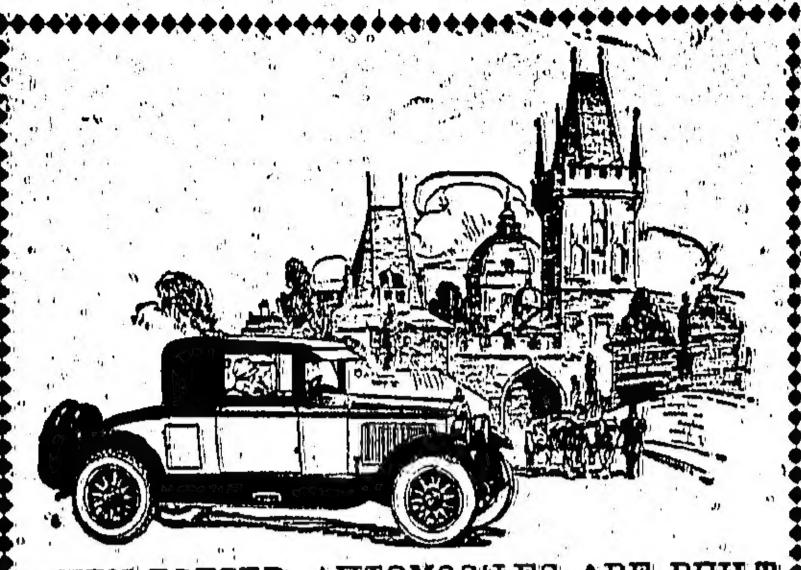
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driver's licence when accested by a European traffic officer, Mr. A. J. Wheeldon, of the P.W.D., hadinto pay a fine of \$5 at the Central Magistracy yesterday.

A case which was partly heard on Saturday was concluded at the Central Magistracy, yesterday, when a parcel boy in the employment of Messrs. Powell, Ltd. was sentenced to one month's imprisonment for theft of six pairs of silk stockings:

Heavy fines were imposed by the Kowloon Magistrate yesterday i'n several cases of illicit opium possession. Three boatmen were fined a total of \$4,320, while an older of the "Po Sang" was fined \$3,600; being ten times the value of the seizure. A woman was sent to prison for nine months with the option of a fine of \$2,000:

Long-service medals for cats will soon have to be presented by ately committed suicide beneath the the management of the White Star Line. Addressing members of the Sunitary Inspectors Association (Chief Assistant Manager) remarked that some of the liners carried as many as twenty-five pussies, had been on the strength for twelve the war.

The business of watching over the lighthouses and seamants around the coasts of Great Britain is to be depicted by means of special films, by paimission of the Eider Brethren of Trinity House. More than 3,000 feet of film were taken by Mr. A. E. Jones, who went on board the Alert, the Trinity Tongue, Mouse, Sunk, and Royal Sovereign light-ships, all in the North Sea.

In response to a broadcast appeal for volunteers for blood transfusion to save the life of a young mother in a Liverpool maternity hospital 23 persons of both sexes presented themselves at the hos-

"Quibble" was the Christian

A. "man cook-general" la For failing to produce his motor being advertised for at Addlestone

> Eastbourne Watch Committee have refused to sanction the opening of kinemas on Sundays.

Combined ages of six people who died in St. Paneras, totalled 501 years—an average of 831/2

When a witness at Kingston said he was interested in loud police vehicles in Leeds, are to be speakers, the clerk remarked. "So am 1. Speak up!"

magistrate, when asked to settle into your dying." wireless dispute.

out of a grocer's shop and deliber- trates have raised the ban. wheels of a passing motor-car:

A new Masonic temple which the other day, Mr. S. E. Cruse when completed, will be the largest. in the country; is to be built at Birmingham. The temple is being built as a memorial to the Freeand some of these faithful felines masons of Warwickshire who fell in

> A meeting of the Imperial Conference has been arranged to take place in London im October. or In making this announcement the Prime Minister said that, he hoped that all the Dominion Fremiers, as well as representatives of India would! be present.

Four blind typists, who have House yacht, and visited the Nore, been employed in a temporary capacity by the London County Council since the beginning of 1924, have been placed on the permanent grade at a rate of pay above the minimum ordinarily applicable.

> A sixty-year-old tramp stopped ciation said: a Rolls-Royce motor car two miles The best, way to make a boy walked into the institution nearby. ments in after life:

Forty-one students from Japan are in attendance at the London University:

One hundred British school boys are to tour Australia, leaving England in August.

The Church Missionary Society at Home, has received anonymous gift of £6,000.

The French Government has ordered the destruction of 2,400 tons of old official papers."

Prisoners being conveyed in insured against third party risks. 

It was a death-bed film scene, "I am not going to deal with but the producer, was not satistroubles in the air as well as on fied with the hero's acting. "Come the earth," said the North London on it" he cried. "Put more life

Having imposed an absolute | 1 During the hearing of a case veto upon women drinking at Leicester Police Court a solici- licensed premises for ten 'years tor suggested that a dog rushed past, Middlesbrol Licensing Magis-

> A movement in the reduction of food prices is being made by a large group of London cafes. which will make the following price alterations in their tariffs :-

Cold roast beef reduced from 8d. to 7d. per portion; Pressed beef from 8dl to 7dl.; Macaroons from 21/2di to 2di :

Jam puffs from 2d. to 11/2d.

Many smokers like to think that their favourite habit makes them immune from 'flu," but perhaps there is a good deal of autosuggestion behind any such security they may enjoy. But at: least one smoker (writes an correspondent) takes definite steps to "medicate" his tobacco during the winter. He adds a drop of camphor to every pipeful, which he declares improves the flavour addition to protecting his throat.

Dr. Elizabeth M. Sloan Chesser, addressing the Parents' Asso-

from Bromsgrove, Worcestershire. grow up was for him to have a pital. The queue of volunteers The driver, thinking that he was sweetheart. Extremists of all amounted to 32, including a youth lill, gave him a lift and made him kinds-red Communists, blackand three girls, the husband of the comfortable among the bushions in shirted Fascisti, and die-hard patient, and five other relatives. the back of the car. At Bromsgrove Conservatives were people who After claborate tests it was decid- the driver spoke to a policeman, had not grown up. Over-indulged ed to accept blood of one of the who began to question the tramp. children sometimes failed to grow men volunteers. The husband The tramp replied that the place up. These "Peter Pans" were a was anxious to make the sacrifice, he was going to was the workhouse. trial to others, and they very but his blood was found not to be He jumped out of the car and readily developed nervous ail-

# SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

England announced of Miss Gage-Brown, formerly of Singapore.

Mrs. Kingsburg, President of the Dramatic Department of the Shanghai American Women's Club, returns from Australia to-day.

Women of various towns in Gerhave celebrated their emancipation from long hair by forming "bobbed hair" clubs.

Mr. Eric Rice, travelling secret ary of the Overseas League, arrived in Kuala Lumpur on his way Home, after a tour of, the East which has resulted in the securing of 1,100 new members for the League.

At a meeting, of the Council of. the Royal College of Surgeons, on March 11, the diploma in Tropical Medicine and Hygiene was conferred on L. T. Yin, M.B., B.S., Hongkong, who was a candidate from the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine.

Baths, butter, beer and jam rolls were among a host of details closely inspected and highly approved by the King during a surprise visit to Wellington Barracks, Birdcagewalk, to examine the reconstructed barracks. The visit lasted only ar hour, but never has the King displayed keener regard for detail.

Mr. Bernard Shaw has written his first sub-title for the screen It runs thus, in his own neat, workmanlike handwriting: "Good people! Be not deceived! I never go on like that. The man is really ME, and this handwriting genuine, but the rest is a put-up Jobse The fire is a fake and the desk is a delusion."

Presiding at the annual meeting of the Selangor Club on March 27 the Hon. Mr. H. W. Thomson stated that, with regard to the bungalows at Fraser's Hill a contract had of course, many how ideas in treak been let for the arection of a club The conditions of the contract ber has the mathe sor the berson should be completed before Christ | address brinted in small letters | period it and is now wearing it

The Rev. T. B. Powell of St. John's Cathedral is due to leave the Colony at the end of this month: | with the object of collecting funds

A sensation has been caused in Hull by an intimation from the Prince of Wales that he would prefor the banquet which was being the Dragoon Guards in the Zulu arranged in connection with his two days' visit to the city in May to be cancelled in view of the cutlay it would involve.

the wife of an Ilkeston, Derbyshire, have been awarded to the family. labourer:-

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date all three). Postal orders by post.

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Prince Henry is receiving many.

congratulations from his friends upon having successfully passed his examination for promotion to the rank of Captain in his regiment, the 10th (Prince of Wales's Owen) Royal Hussars, and he is likely to receive his step in rank very his strength on chocolate. Always shortly. The military future of he keeps in his pocket a little flat this Prince has been under con- box of plain chocolate. The late sideration for some time past, and a staff appointment, either on the Viceroy's Staff in India or that of his uncle, the Earl of Athlone, in South Africa, is suggested for him so soon as he receives his captaincy.

The fashion in visiting cards is changing. No longer is it considered correct to use long and narrow or big and square cards Many people, especially women, are always wanting something different, said & London printer. "There are a pumber of new styles of visiting cards, but the one which is much in demand at present is very simili, measuring 2

inches by 14 inches. There are cards. One of the most peculiar designs we have had to deal with that the building of these largest on a sombstone with the along the foot of the grave

Mrs. V. Liu and Miss Reynolds of Changchow are visiting Manila to build a school.

Mr. R. Jarvis, aged seventy, who has died at St. Pancras, fought with War: He drew an Army pension for forty-two years.

Nine children of Jarrow family named Pearce have made a total The following presents for her i school attendance of 72 years, none triplets, two girls and a boy, have having ever been absent." Nine been received by Mrs. J. Stevenson, medals, and three silver watches,

> "Some of the most successful people in the country town in which I spent my early days could not read or write, but their bank books were all right. Education is not everything."-Judge Parfitt.

Although he is 73 years of age, Capt. James Arthur Page, who lives in retirement at Southampton after many years in the Army, has never been in a cinema. He has seen so many first hand pictures of tragedy, he says, that the films fail to attract him:

The King finds that during a long and tiring day he can keep up Marquis Curzon found the same thing-that chocolates stimulated far better than did a smoke.

Mr. F. O. Roberts, M.P. for West Bromwich, who accompanied s delegation to the West Indies, delighted three thousand natives by playing a violin and teaching them to sing "Show me the way to go home." The coloured people showered presents on Mr. Roberts and christened him "The Sweet Singer of the Stage."

The distinction of wearing the most curious hat in London belongs to Miss Frances Knowles-Foster F.R.G.S. When Miss Knowles-Foster was in Sweden at few weeks ago she purchased as a souvenir an astrakhan hat made for a Swedish en Army officer. She tried it on found it very comfortable and adorned with a gold anchor.

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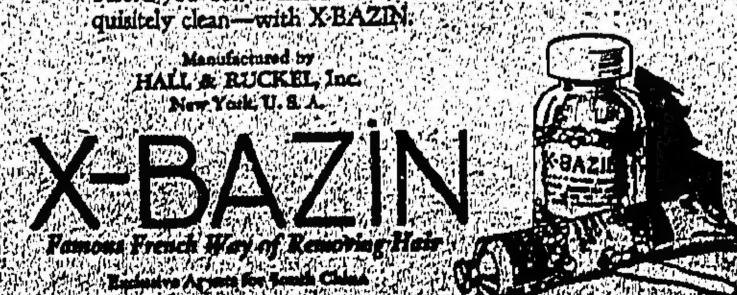
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MIXED RACES.

VIEWS OF AN AUSTRALIAN

PROFESSOR.

STARTLING AND AMUSING.

The new ethnologists are no

respectors of persons. Callously

local differences.

welded into a national unity...

than one racial stock,

which swept Europe and left every-

visitation. The old theory that the

cradle of the world is that part-in

France-where remains of very pri-

mitive man are found, and where

gustom, and blood-thirstiness.

PENANG.

Four Singapore motorcyclists

headed by Mr. A. W. Hay have

takes the mail train to run that

Leaving Singapore at 3.30 a.m.

they expected that to an average

speed of \$2 miles an hour they

would reach Butterworth at about

Seventy miles from Singapore

two of the motor-cyclists, including

the leader, Mr. Hay dropped out

It is not yet known for what rea-

Before reaching Ipoh the remain-

to Butterworth and Penang early

When interviewed he was unable

the Peninsula-Singapore

10 o'clock at night.

# "CHINA MAIL" SPORTS PAGE

#### BILLIARDS.

AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP

FIRST HEAT SCORES.

(Reuten's Service.)

London, April 18. At Thurston's Hall, London, the Empire amateur billiards championship has commenced. In the first heat the final score

C. Shailer, Australia . . . . 2,000 Malcolm Smith, Scotland 1,245 J. Earlam, Englands, T. McCluney, North of Freland and P. Routledge, South Africa, are also competing:

CLAUDE: FALKINER:

Record in Shanghai. (Reuter's Service.)

Shanghai, April 14. The visiting British billiard professional, Claud Falkiner, during an break of 651 in 24 minutes. minutes.

### DAVIS CUP:

ARGENTINE TEAM SAILS FOR SPAIN.

TO MEET PUNCARY.

(Router's American Service.)

Buenos Aires, April. 18. The Argentine team for Davis Cup competition have sailed for Spain to play Hungary at Barcelong on May 15.

#### VOLUNTEER CRICKET.

The following will represent the Hongkong Volunteers in a cricket match against Mr. A. A. Rumjahn's XI at the University ground on Saturday at 2:15 p.m. (bus leaves) H.K.C.C. Pavilion at 1.45 p.m. H. Owen Hughes, A. W. Ramsay, Friday:-F. N. Nicholls; J. exhibition last night compiled a E. C. Fincher, J. C. Lyal, C. Di Wales, H. E. Standage, S. Jex. G. R. Vallack, H. C. Burgess, and B. R. Forster, E. D. Lawrence, F. E. Lawrence.

### HOME TURF.

LIVERPOOL SPRING CUP

PALMA BAY'S VICTORY. (via Colombo.)

London, March 25. The Liverpool Spring Cup race resulted as follows:--

Palma Bay Skysail ...... 

Ten ran. Palma Bay won, by one length 11/2 lengths separated second and

Betting:-7 to I against Palma Bay; 100 to 8 against Skysail, 8 to l against Canusa.

#### LOCAL HOCKEY. "

Wedlake, W. G. Gerrard; A. S. L. P. Ralphy M. D. Gurney Hoars, E. J. Larkcom and G. P. Lammert.

has gone chief, officer, "Fooshing:" Mr. A. Woodley, chief officer, "Foo-"Sulwo." Mr. J. H. Davey, chief

gone acting chief engineer, ing, said the lecturer. On the consecond engineer, "Luenho," is on little, isolated nests.

Mr. C. M. Anderson, second ensuply second engineer, "Kiawo,"

"Luenyk"

FALSE SIGNAL SHOWN BY

Detective are scouring France

what was happening. The express, which left the Gare de L'Est, in Paris, at 8.50 on February 28, had just passed through the station of Emerainville-Pontaullt, about -25 miles from Paris, when the driver saw in the distance a red light on the son. line. He put on the brakes and brought the train to a standstill ing couple became separated; one

train alighted and placed for times, eventually retired at Taiping signals on the line a few hundred at 10.80 at night and continued on yards behind the train.

brakeman behind.

According to witnesses, a large grey motor-car was waiting near say that they saw three men and a woman in it as it dashed past

an addition of 1.55 inches of rain

streams in the New Territories are believed to have caused the death of two persons, a Chinese woman with a child strapped to her back, whose bodies were found on the foreshore at Shataukok washed down into the sea by

CHANGES ON THE CHINA COAST.

Mr. J. Rennie, from reserve, has "Yusang." Mr. A. Livingston, trany, it appeared as though these candidate, proposer, and seconder, the seventh floor and was awakened chief engineer, "Yusang," has gone were the points furthest away from Board which took place on Mon- be an employee of the restaurant, how has gone second engineer, on which the weaker ruces were

#### TRICKED.

ROBBERS.

Penang-in fewer hours than for unknown bandits who held up distance, says the "Pinang Gazette." and robbed the Paris-Belfort express without anyone suspecting

The brakeman in the back of the of them, losing his way severa

His place was taken by the in the morning arriving at the E guard, and the front van contain- and O. Hotel about 10 o'clock. ing £10,000 in cash intended for the payment of railway employees, to say anything about his comas well as securities, was left un- panion, although the police report protected. Thieves sentered this that a motor cyclist passed though van, and a moment later the red Kulim at midnight. light disappeared and the train resumed its journey, leaving the

A few hundred yards farther on the thieves, having rifled the [van, applied the emergency brakes] and the train stopped once more. They then jumped off and disappeared in the darkness.

Heavy rains and swollen

#### THE PHILIPPINES.

INVESTIGATION OF ECONOMIC POSSIBILITIES.

> MR. C. A. THOMPSON APPOINTED

The "Manila Bulletin" of April indifferent to the feelings of the 5 commenting on an investigation nations, they are deciding that of Philippine economic and inbetween one people and another President Coolidge says:

there are often no more than more The summer will bring the Philippines into another investiga-In a lecture on "The Races of tion, another survey. This time Europe" to the Royal Colonial In the investigators will be here stitute, Sydney, on March 16, Pro- under the commission of the fessor Griffith Taylor drew from President of the United States. this a conclusion that should be They will be directed to conduct very encouraging to Australia, into a survey of the islands from an which so many kinds of people are economic point of view. Internal flowing. History had showed, he conditions generally are to be said; that a nation could be made considered, apparently from the of the most unpromising, the most angle of their relation to economic varied, materials. Given time and development. a more or less common and com- President Coolidge in announc-

fortable, environment, the most ing the decision to make such a diverse racial stock could be survey named Carmi A. Thompson, former treasurer of the "I wish." he remarked, "that our United States, head of the compoliticians would realise this. It mission. Mr. Thompson, whose is germaine to many of our most principal claim to recognition lies The following will represent important problems to-day, Foolish in his success in the mining busithe Hongkong Hockey Club by people imagine that racial ness and as an industrial leader "Wanderers" against "C" Company, mixture is necessarily bad, forget- qualifies for a survey involving East Surrey Regiment at the ting that even in Britain, the most the relationship between governsharp) :- E. J. R. Mitchell (capt.) U.S.R.C. at 5.30 pm. sharp on virile nation on earth, there is more ment and commerce because he has had experience in both fields. As a matter of fact, Professor Of his connection with public Hett, E. J. R. Mitchell (capt.), Griffith Taylor showed, there is office it must be said he represents scarcely one homogeneous people more the business man in politics in the world, unless, perhaps, it is than the politician in business. in the centre of the Asiatic con- He knows what business is. He tinent, where the latest types will gained his knowledge in the school

be found most pure. Here, in Tur- of experience. kestan, it seems as though the The President's announcement climate was of that happy medium of the appointment makes it permost suited to the evolution of man, feetly clear that the survey is in and ethnologists are seeking to furtherance of the policy of prove that from this point came the Governor-General Wood in fosterling commercial and industrial where traces of their prehistoric development in the Philippines.

This same point is borne out by the statement of Governor-General Wood endorsing the survey and predicting helpful results. The appointment of this com-

the strain of the early types may mission again brings into the still be traced, seems to be explode spotlight the question of development of the resources of the islands. It shows a realisation on respectively at an election of a by a tight squeeze on his neck. He chief engineer, Luenho. Mr. F. the centre of stimulus—as though the part of the Washington ad member to serve on the Sanitary closed in one man, who proved to Hill, acting chief engineer, "Luen- they were the fringe of civilisation, ministration that in developed resources lies the basic strength same ship. Mr. J. W. Fisher, forced to hang precariously in of a government. Without this basic strength a government can-Some of the relationships which not be considered secure. When Professor Taylor was able the President of the United gineer, "Kwongsang," has gone hypothetically to trace were start, States sends to the Philippines a ling and amusing in their unexpect. commission qualified to survey Mr. W. Wanderleach, third en- edness. For instance, he said that the situation economically, he is gineer, "Luenyi," has gone second certain peoples in the Alps were getting at the very bottom of the engineer, same ship. Mr. J. H. more closely related to the inhabi- question of the security of the Bowman, second engineer, "Luenyi," tants of Northern India than to government here. He is gathering is on reserve. Mr. C. R. Blair has their fellow-Europeans, and the dependable data on the foundabeen appointed third engineer, Melanesians had much in common tion, structure of the national

with the early Britons in fenture, life. . . For this reason the survey merits the fullest support of all those with whom permanent security of the governmental structure here is a consideration. That means all Filipinos, as well as Americans and others directly or indirectly interested in the Philippines. The more attempted to eyele the length of thorough and the more accurate this report, the more intelligent

the policy based upon it... It is significant that Filipino political leaders voice a welcome for the survey.

# GOODS."

SIR C. HIGHAM ON WINDOW DRESSING.

Sir Charles Higham made some critical remarks on our local national, and Imperial windowdressing in a racy lecture which he delivered to members of the British Association of Display Men, at the National Cash Register's Lecture Hall, Tottenham-court-road.

In a reference to the British Industries Fair now running at the White City, Sir Charles said we needed better Imperial windowtime, they had spent money on tell- campaign America was now drinking the world that we had goods ing four times as much Britishto sell, and that they could be seen grown tea as she did two years ago. at the fair. The whole of indus- | Speaking of local shop-window trial England was circularised and dressing Sir Charles said numerous invited to show its goods, there, tradesmen still treated their win- On Paris With considerable difficulty, about dows as if they were museums for On demand ... 150,000 square feet, at the cheap keeping things in. (Laughter.). rate of 2s. 6d. a square foot, of show And yet the value of attractively space was let. That great interest displayed goods in a well-lighted in the fair had been aroused was window was next in importance to proyed by the fact that 700 foreign newspaper advertising. Many a buyers attended during the first shopkeeper would draw more attenweak; that 6,000 home buyers were tion to his window if he pulled there on one day; and that on one down the blind and put up a notice Saturday night 10,000 people paid saying he had nothing to show in a shilling each to see it. Leading his window, but that his goods business houses in America, could be seen inside (Laughter.) Canada, Australia, and other coun- There, was, however, a gleam of bries sent their buyers; and what hope Retail shop windows showed did they find? That many trades an improvement in this respect, not were entirely unrepresented, and only in London, but also in many many others were represented by a provincial towns, But there refow firms only. Those who were mained much room for development. Invited to show and falled to do so London by night ought to be a blaze should not complain of bad trade of light, and people like Mr. G. K. (Hear, herr) The Government Chesterton who regarded the elechad given a lead to industry. Why tric signs in Piccadily as vulgar, did not industry, as a whole, wake ought to use their ability in making latered Batte Interest up and do something for itself, those advertisements more beauti- Ohines Bets, Ode L. 201 2 dia. The world would buy our goods if ful. (Cheers.)

### LOCAL SHARE MARKET OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS.

HONGRONG, APRIL 14, 1926, 10.80-A.M.

	Names	Houghtong Stock Richards	Hongkong Sharebrokers Association	Entain pentim Share & Real encety
	T.T. on London T.T. on Shanghai Banka	2/234 7634	2/234 7634	2/234 nom.
	Hongkong Bank London	1063 b.	1060 b. & sa.	\$1060 b. £126 b.
	Chartered Bank Mercantile Bank, A. & B. do. C.	£21½ n. £30 b. £13½ b.	£2134 n. £30 n. £1334 n.	
	P. & O. Bank Bank of East Asia Marine Insurances.	£0% n. \$80 b.	\$80 b.	\$80 b.
	Canton Insurance China Underwriters North China Insurance	625 b. 1.00 n.	620 b.	\$ 625 b., 1.90 b.
	Union Insurance Yangire Insurance	T 145 n. 283 b. 39 n.	T 140 n. 283 b. 441/2 b.	\$283 s.
	China Fire Insurance A.K. Fire Insurance	170 b.	165 b.	550 b.
ì	Shipping. Douglases Hongkong Steamboats	28 n.	25 0	28 8.
	H.K. Tugs & Lighters. Indo-Chinas (Prof.) do. (Def.) L'd.	25 4 b. 254 8. 38 n.	25½ b. & sz. 2½ b. 30 n.	2534 b. 37 b.
	do. ( ,, ) Hk.	40 n.	45 n.	45
	Shell Transports Star Ferries Water-boats	87/- b. \$62 s. 15 n.	90/6 n. 61 b. 62 s. 15 n.	90/- 2. \$62
	Refineries. China Sugara Malabon Sugara	25 b.	24 b	24 b.
	Mining. Bengueta	34 п.	35 A	
	Kailan Mining Ad. Langkats (Combined) do. (Single)	175 n. 42/- b. 24/4 b.	42/6 n. T24 b.	47/6 ta. T24 b.
	Shanghai Exploration Shanghai Loan Raubs	51/4 b.	12 b. 5 a. 7 a.	Ξ
	Tronoh Mines Ural Caspians	\$5, b.º 65/- n. 8/- n.	\$4 b. 61/- b.	5 , B.
	Godowns, &c.		12834b 12934	\$128 b.
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	New Engineerings Shanghai Docks Lands, Hotels & Bidgs.	570 b.	T51/2 b.	572 b.
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	Princes Building	15% b. 100 n. 7 n.	15 b. 100 s.	15 b.
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3	China Prov. (comb.)	61/2 s.	12 n.	7 n.
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	Nanyang Tobaccos Peak Trams (old)	21½ n. 17½ b	13 b. 17½ b.	17 b.
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## in fast scoring. DR. HO'S OFFER. (Continued from Page 1.) Appeall Lodgedt.

Messis. Leo d'Almada and Nephew have sent the following letter to the Colonial Secretary, and copy of which we have received ant of the Nam Tong Restaurant, shing," has gone chief officer, for publication :-

Messis. J. M. D/Almada visitors. Remedios, and C. A. dw Rozn, the day, the 12th instant pursuant to and eventually struck him down

ernment Gazette" of "the 19th disabled him. A confederate was March last, we have the horiour seem to be crouching near the bed to lodge an appeal to like Excel- and this man, also received attenlency the Governor in Council tion from the pugilistic expert. claiming, inter alia, for a declara- Both men are now in the custody tion by the Governor in Council of the police. that the said election was void at Common Law or under Schedule.

C of Ordinance No. 1 of 1903. This appeal is made under RESTAURANT Section 265 of the said Ordinance and the grounds of such appeal, are briefly as follows:--

1. The place selected by the Presiding Officer for the purpose of carrying out the election was ridiculously inadequate.

Presiding Officer-namely himself ing. 31 restaurant keepers and the Deputy Registrar of the were summoned for failure to re-Supreme Court, assisted by three new their licences by payment of European Bailiffs was grossly in- the fees, the cases being instituted adequate to cope with about 4,000 by the Police on the instructions of persons who were undoubtedly en- the Colonial Treasurer. titled to vote at the election. The Jury list alone contains the names | restaurant men, said a petition had

of about 8,000 persons. electors to record or cast their Chinese Affairs was powerless to respective votes one hour and a prevent the issue of the summons

half is insufficient. 4, "At the hour of 5.30 p.m. on the said 12th day of April, Government departments. 1926, when, according to the said netification, the ballot box should be closed, the Presiding. Officer strike and asked for an adjournshould, in view of the fact that there were then about 400 persons waiting in the Registry to receive a petition subsequently sent for their respective voting papers for the purpose of recording their. votes, exercise the discretion which is undoubtedly vested in him, under sec. 12 of the Rules of election to extend the time for the closing of the said Ballot box until the said persons had been given an opportunity to record their

respective votes. reasons; about 400 persons, who 16 at about noon. were legally entitled to cast their votes, being present in the Registry within the appointed time, were deprived of their just legal election has been conducted in a

in view of the above facts the the irregularities complained of the second stopping place. Others election has been so conducted did affect or might have affected that His Excellency the Governor the result of the election. in Council should be satisfied, as | We desire to add, however, for a matter of fact and at Common the information of His Excellency Law either that there was no real the Governor in Council that we electing at all, or that the election | are also acting for a large number | The Observatory weather forewas not really conducted under of electors who were present at cast for the 24 hours ending at the subsisting election rules, that the Registry on the said date and noon to-morrow reads: "E. winds, is that the electors as a body have who were deprived of their just moderate; overcast, rain." With not in fact had a fair and free op- legal rights. portunity of electing the candid- The conduct of the election, as since last report, the total for this ate which the majority might a who's, is fully and substantially year is 16:51 inches, against an prefer, or that there is reasonable related in the "South China Morn- average of 8.24. ground to believe that a majority ing Post" of April 18, a copy of of the electors, were, by reason of which report is respectfully herethe above mentioned irregular- with submitted. ities in the mode of conducting We have the hondur to be. the election, actually prevented from electing the candidate they preferred.

It is further submitted that the The Honourable, validity of the election is contest. The Colonial Secretary. ed on the ground that the said

ARRESTS TWO RESTAURANT ROBBERS.

Single-handed, a Chinese account-China Building, a caught two," rob-Sir, Aching on instructions bers, at 4 o'clock this morning in officer, "Suiwo," is on Home leave. Dr. F. M. G. Ozorio, and a plucky fight with one of the

The accountant was sleeping on Notification No. 153 of the "Gov- with a stout blow of his fist which

# PROSECUTION OF LICENCE

STRIKE HARDSHIPS.

HOLDERS.

Before Mr. R. E. Lindsell at the 2. The staff provided by the Central Magistracy this morn-

Mr. M. W. Lo, appearing for the been sent by his clients and he un-3. The time allowed for the derstood that the Secretary for owing to what he (Mr. Lo) termed la lack of co-ordination between

He attributed the failure hardships brought about by ment to enable the Government's views to be ascertained in reply to permission to pay the fees-in some cases amounting to \$2,000-in-

instalments. His Worship agreed to an adjournment of a fortnight.

#### MOVEMENT OF STEAMER.

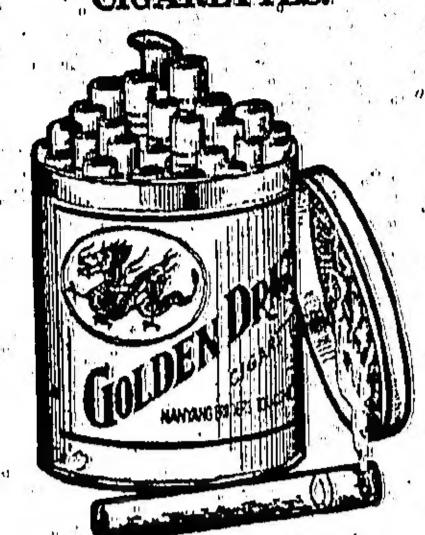
The P. & O. s.s. "Devanha" left Shanghai for this port yesterday 5. That in view of all the above lat: 4 p.m. and is due here on April

manner contrary to the principle It is respectfully submitted that of an election by ballot and that

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# People and Events in the News of the World



Nicolo Benelli, a twelve-year-old New York school boy, brought a suit of \$20,000 against Mus. Frene Evans, his teacher, alleging that she pulled a tuft of hair from his head. Nicolo rather enjoyed the awesome inspection of his bald spot by his chums.



The state of the s

Frederick Woolworth, although he

has a share in a \$15,000,000 legacy

left by his uncle (founder of the

American five and ten cent stores)

lives as a recluse in a lonely cabin

in the woods near Bedford Hills.

(New York) with a male attendant.

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to be suffering from a nervous

allmont.

KERMIN BOOSEVELT Kermit Roosevelt "snapped" after his extended hunting trip in India.





REP WILLIAMIA GREEN

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Representative William R. Green of Iowa, chairman of the U.S. House, Ways and Means Committee, warned that a big reduction in Revenue Bill would bring a tax increase before the year's end. Senator James A. Rood, Missouri, opened the national drive against the entrance of the United States into the World Court, Bishop Murray, presiding bishop of the Episcopal Church in America, was ill with pneumonia. Eamonn de Valera, an Irish Republic leader.



Theodora Roosevelt, brother of



ELBERT HIGARY



MARSHAL CHANGS TSO DIN The Duke of Northumberland refused to accept the offer of Labourites to debate the land question publicly. Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the board of the U.S. Steel Corporation, after an extensive tour, said that he believes a long era of prosperity is ahead for America. "Lockstep methods" in American colleges were denounced by James R. Angell, president of Yale, in his annual report. Marshal Chang Tso-lin, dictator of Manchuria, is still in the Chinese political in



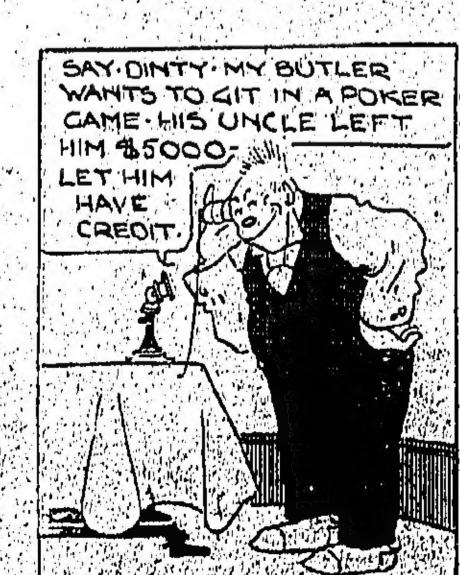
This is a posed photograph of the Salm baby, then fifteen months old. His father, Count Salm, was at palm: Beach to visit the boy who is in the custody of his mother, the former Millicent Rogers. She will one day inherit her father's \$500,000,000 which in time will pass on to her son, Peter. The Count is estranged from the child's mother.

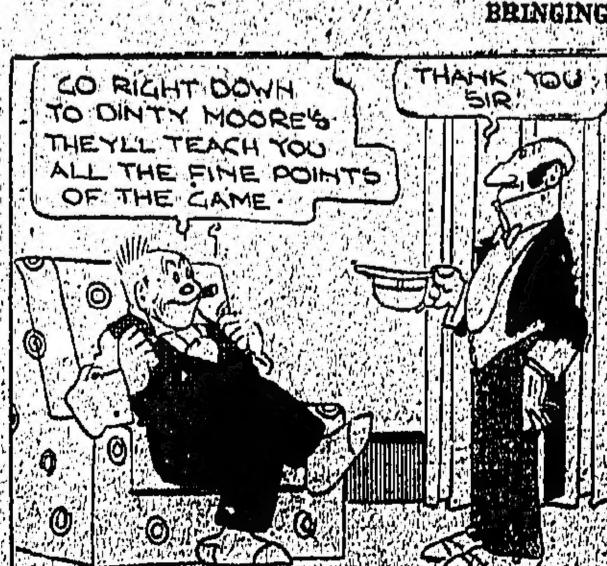
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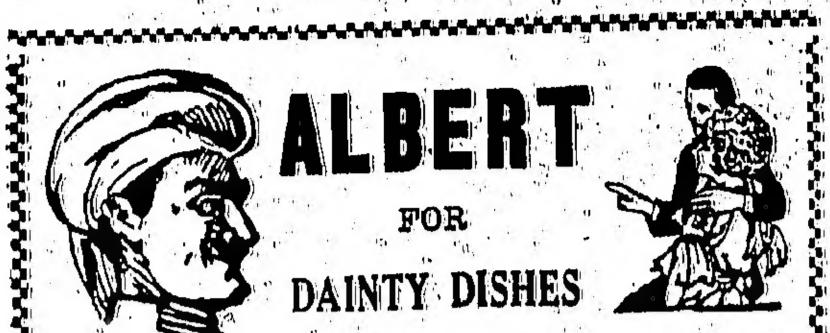
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SEA TRAGEDY ON AFRICAN

LEAVES BURNING

STEAMER. Capetown, March 20.

stories of a tragedly were told on the arrival of the survivors of the 7,000 tons steamer, "Paparoa," which was abandoned as the result of fire off the coast of Africa on March 18 en route to Australia, comprising four passengers, five stowaways and twenty-four crew, who arrived here on the steamer "Barabool" in an exhausted condition after a trying ordeal in the blazing, vesselt.

There was an awe-inspiring sight as the last boat, with Captain Wilde and eight of the crew, left her at midnight. The flames were soaring a hundred feet high. The chief engineer and the wirein order to scramble into a life-

WEST AFRICA.

Dawn of New Era.

London, March 21. The statement of Mr. Ormsby Gore, who is now touring West Africa, to an interviewer at Lagos marks, according to a special correspondent of the "Observer," the beginning of a new cliapter in the relations between Great Britain and the natice races.

Mr. Ormsby Gore is represented as saying that he did not see any estimates in the House of Com-European plantations in Nigeria, in Mr. C. G. Ammon with regard to and Congo, expressing the opinion | the service of His Majesty's Navy that the natives themselves are on the Indian coast, although the able to do everything necessary. new Indian Navy will shortly be

The "Observer" says that West, in existence. in West Africa.

dependent African producership Base, while simultaneously in- bers week by week. He maintainexceed twenty millions.

A NEW STATE.

Paris, March 20. A message from Beirut: says that the representative Council of Alexandretta, meeting as a Constituent Assembly, has proclaimed the independence of the State and voted a constitution.

" It has expressed the opinion that a French President alone capable of leading the country new destinies. "The Council has proposed for M. de Jouvenel's approval the appointment of Duriex, the present delegate Alexandretta.

LINKING UP EMPIRE.

Imperial Communications Committee's Proposals.

London, March 22. A meeting of the Imperial Communications Committee of the British Empire League unani- bers. mously passed resolutions urging that immediate steps should be taken to prepare schemes to be began. They worked overtime and submitted to the Imperial Con- pened at dawn when they were beless operator were compelled to ference with the view to linking sieged by enormous crowds. Women jump for their lives into the sea up all parts of the Empire" by fainted, men were injured, and airship, aeroplane and seaplane, windows were smashed. More than the early return of the penny post | £100,000 was staked in Naples throughout the Empire, and the alone. establishment of wireless stations The result was received with in smaller and more isolated com- national rage, but Torraca was not | munities of the Empire with the to be found. He had disappeared view to linking them up with the soon after daybreak. main stations of the Empire.

INDIA'S NAVAL GRANT.

First Lord's Statement in

London, March 22...

In the report stage of the Navy necessity for the introduction of mons, replying to the question of order to improve the conditions of the appropriation in respect of the West African pulm oil indus- India, Mr. W. C. Bridgeman said try, in the face of growing com- we should still get £100,000 from petition from the Dutch Indies the Government of India towards

African circles in London con- In the course of the Naval sider that Mr. Ormsby Gore is debate Commander C. D. Burney numbers are drawn. In one's own speaking with the authority of urged that the Conservative and the Government and that, there- Labour Parties should agree on a lone to win 250 to 1. Three successfore, it can be regarded as certain general policy before the Imperial ful numbers yield 4,250 to 1; four that the system of European Conference so that the Dominions return the fine odds of 60,000 to 1. plantations, worked by conces- might realise that a change of One can invest from threepence upsionaires, will-not be introduced British Government did not affect wards without any limit in most safeguarding naval defence. He places. The "Observer" concludes with declared that the Labour Governsaying that if the system of in- ment's abandoning the Singapore forecast at least two winning numand land ownership is to be left creasing the air vote for the de- ed that it was simple mathematics, untouched in principle, though fence of Great Britain, had creat- based on an elaborate system which improved in detail, this fact is of ed an impression in the Dominions his father handed to him when he much significance to Great Bri- that the House of Commons was was dying tain and such European countries willing to vote money for the deas the Union of South Africa, for fence of England at the expense of ed, with sparkling eyes and olivethe natives in British West Africa | weakening the defence of the coloured complexion, even with outer Empire.

TIP BUBBLE.

£1,000,000 IN LOTTERY . NUMBERS.

TIPSTER DISAPPEARS.

The Italian Covernment is richer by a sum estimated at £1,000:000. and several million Italian citizens are poorer by sums varying from a few pence to many pounds, as the result of the failure of Ignazio Torraca, who enjoyed a great reputation as an infallible prophet of lottery numbers, to predict the numbers drawn by the State lotteries to-day, (states a Rome message in mail week).

A draw in this lotteryo is made every Saturday, people having to select from ninety numbers... For five successive weeks Torraca had correctly fore-shadowed the numbers drawn.

"Prophet's" Fame.

People made pilgrimages to his: native town to obtain the num-When he gave them they were circulated throughout Italy and a rush on the lottery offices

MATHS & SPARKLING EYES.

Men in Italy rarely put their money on horses, but very few of. them full once a week to back their luck on the numbers drawn every Saturday at noon by the official Lottery bank, (adds a writer in a Home paper). The cabminder and the cabdriver, the innkeeper and his clients, the washerwoman and her assistants, the shopkeeper-in fact, the butcher, the baker, and the candle-stick maker, the entire popular lation with few exceptions, back

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